

Howling of Entrapped Moose Dog Guide To Aeronauts Lost In Frozen Wilds of Canada

HARST, Ont.—Tales of terrible hardships endured with utmost fortitude by the three stranded American naval aviators from Rockaway, N. Y., in the frozen wilds of the Canadian North, were related here Wednesday by Indian trappers arriving from the lower Hudson Bay district.

Their stories corroborated reports from Cookham that the aviators were near starvation and were forced to eat their two remaining carried pigeons to keep alive. The men are slowly regaining their way back to civilization by dog-sled with the thermometer thirty degrees below zero. They should reach Mattice Friday.

A Pullman coach will be placed at their disposal when they leave the trail there.

The men are in good health and spirits, the trappers say, with the exception of Lieutenant S. A. Farrell, who suffered from frost-bite and shock.

Dog Saved the Trio

According to the Indians, the howling of a moose dog in a trip at Ship-saw, the original trading post of the Hudson Bay company, was responsible for the safety of the aviators last Sunday. When they heard the dog's cries, the balloonists decided to land. The great balloon struck in a clump of trees 10 miles south of the post, and its occupants were almost stripped of their clothing in the perilous descent.

At the time of landing the mercury was only ten degrees below zero. When the men extricated themselves from the wreckage, the first words were uttered by Lieutenant Walter Hinton, a veteran of the historic trans-Atlantic flight in the NC-1, who exclaimed "gracious thanks" to the Alouette for their existence.

Rode on Wings of Storm

The aviators next expressed thanks to the unfortunate dog whose howling caused them to descend. For almost forty hours the Americans had muddled through in a raging storm high in the air and they were too exhausted to do

much but congratulate themselves upon their safe landing.

They had been drenched to the skin and icicles hung over their torn clothing. For four days they wandered aimlessly in the wilderness and were despairing when they were discovered by a frightened Indian trapper. George McLeod, the Indian mail carrier who brought news of the men's landing to the outside world, said their first desire was to notify their wives and relatives of their safety.

Had Narrow Escape

George McClelland, who has been hitting the trail between Moose Factory and Mattice for seventeen years, said that had the balloon drifted a few miles further north they would not have lived to tell the story. More than one hardy trapper has met his fate in that desolate region rarely trod by human beings, he said.

Before attempting a descent, the balloonists told McLeod, they jockeyed for eight hours to find a safe place. During that time they were tossed by a right easterly gale that reached a velocity of seventy miles an hour.

They decided to chance it when they heard the howling dog and as they descended Farrell spied a smokestack in the distance. It disappeared from view as they struck the tree-tops and when they crawled from the balloon there was no sign of a habitation.

Indian Guides Them

They at last made camp for the night and waited for daylight. With renewed spirits they set out in the morning in a southerly direction until they again saw the smokestack in the distance. Making for it they met the aged Indian, Tom Marian. He took to his heels, pursued by Lieutenant Hinton, who caught the old man and induced him to lead them to a refuge. He took them to his hut and from there sent his wife to Moose Factory to notify Hudson Bay company men of the appearance of the three strangers.

Company employes then came to their aid and took charge of them.

Warmed and dressed in dry clothes the men told the story of their flight.

Caught by Storm

After their departure from Rockaway, they said, the balloon drifted northward toward the Adirondacks in the vicinity of Fork Mountain, near Wells, N. Y. It was caught by a terrific storm. The officers felt no alarm, however, and decided not to send out any of the pigeons, reserving them for a more serious situation. They expected to take a westerly course after reaching the St. Lawrence river, but before arriving there they were caught by a southwest gale which swept them toward Canada.

No effort was made to make a landing until they reached Southland. There three attempts were made before success was attained. At times they floated at a high elevation and at others they dropped close to the tree-tops in the hope of finding an open space.

Ate Carrier Pigeons

When the men landed their clothing was in rags and they were without food, the second of the pigeons having previously been eaten.

At Moose Factory immediate efforts were made to send word of their safety to their families and friends and Indian runners were sent back. Then plans for their own departure were started. Two dog sleds were made ready and equipment prepared. The balloonists told McLeod before they set out ten days ago, that they planned to go to Toronto and from there directly to New York.

The trail by which the return trip is being made is along the Mississippi river, the original route of the Hudson Bay company between Moose Factory and Mattice.

The going along this trail now is reported much more difficult than it was when Hudson Bay men went out with the first message from the stranded fliers. Even then two of the runners suffered from frostbitten faces. McLeod predicted that the balloonists may be fifteen days making the trip to Mattice.

F. P. HIXON GIVES SIX FINE WORKS OF ART TO HIGH SCHOOL

Beautiful Paintings Presented to Adorn Walls of Corridors of Institution

TO INCULCATE LOVE OF ART AMONG STUDENTS OF SCHOOL

Philanthropic Citizen Supplements Gifts to Community

Frank P. Hixon has presented to the La Crosse High school six beautiful paintings, copies of famous masterpieces, to furnish the nucleus of a collection of works of art for the institution and inculcate an appreciation of art among students attending the school at the present time and in future years.

Public announcement of the handsome gift was made today by Superintendent of Schools B. E. McCormick, following an assembly of the high school addressed by Mr. Hixon this morning, at which he expressed the hope that each incoming class in the school might add to the collection of paintings by having every pupil contribute the price of one movie show.

There are two large panels, the first series by Sir Isaac Newton, depicting the fall of man, which are in the Boston public library and four single paintings, copies of works by Titian, George Inness, Rembrandt and Van Dyke, in the collection presented to the school by Mr. Hixon and hung in the corridors.

List of Paintings

A list of the paintings follows:
Panel—The Oath of Knighthood.
The Departure, King Solomon's Ship.
Panel—The Vision of the Grail.
Galahad's Introduction to King Arthur's Court, Sir Galahad.
Portrait of the Young Man—Titian.
Home of the Heron—George Inness.

The Young Student—Rembrandt.
The Duke of Bradford—Van Dyke.

Many Handsome Gifts.
Deeply interested in the rebuilding and beautifying of La Crosse, Mr. Hixon has given the community many handsome gifts. Supplementing substantial donations to the park fund, he built and equipped and presented to the city the Hixon manual training school and auditorium adjoining the high school, and has generously contributed to various public funds.

Expressions of appreciation from school officials and pupils marked the receipt of the gift of paintings which will adorn the school walls.

Following is the correspondence which passed between Mr. Hixon and Mr. McCormick relative to the paintings:

"Mr. B. E. McCormick, Superintendent of Schools.
"As a small token of my continued interest in the high school, I am presenting it with a few pictures to be hung in its corridors.

"As the facilities of the manual training department develop manual skill, and as the gymnasium work develops the bodies and muscles of the pupils, I hope that this trifling supplementary gift may be a means contributing to the promotion of mental development along the line of appreciation and love of art.

"Shipment of the pictures has been promised for some day next week, and I trust that they will arrive in time to be installed before Christmas.

(Signed) "F. P. HIXON."

"At the regular meeting of the board of education on January 2, your communication of December 7, stating that you were presenting the high school with pictures to be hung in its corridors, was read, and I was directed by the board to convey to you their sincere appreciation and thanks.

"We are very much pleased with the gift, and we also appreciate your continued interest in the high school and the hopes and girls of our city. We are sure that your gift is a long step toward the goal desired, the promotion of mental development along the line of appreciation and love of art.

(Signed) "B. E. MCCORMICK."
"Clerk, Board of Education."

At Students' Meeting.
The general assembly at the high school today was opened by Miss Macdonald, supervisor of the art department, who discussed the paintings from an artistic standpoint. Her talk was very interesting and was much enjoyed by the students.

President Mr. Hixon's talk, the freshmen were brought into the assembly from the gymnasium where their mass meetings are held. They marched down to the front of the hall, behind an American flag proudly carried by "Curry" Morgan. Marie Appleby led in a salute to the flag, and then told of the appreciation that the freshmen felt toward the donation of the pictures, and stated the plan that they had formulated to raise a fund to purchase pictures. This plan was heartily commended by Mr. Hixon.

Mr. McCormick spoke of the many valuable gifts that Mr. Hixon has given to the school.

Mr. Hixon was introduced and said in part: "This suggestion for donating pictures to decorate the walls of your high school first came to me when I was present at the Elson Art exhibit held in the gymnasium a year ago last November. I did not find any in the collection suitable, but I

WHO WILL BE QUEEN OF CARNIVAL?

Honors Galore and Beautiful Solitaire Diamond Ring for Woman of La Crosse Elected to Head Festivities the Week of Big State Corn and Grain Show Here

The long-heralded contest for Queen of the Carnival is now on. A special committee to have entire charge of this feature of the big fun and sport event which will occur the latter part of the month, has been appointed and consists of Harry Burrows, P. J. Verly and Henry J. Rooney. This committee will have complete control of the voting contest, will canvass the voters, make daily reports of the standing of the contestants to the newspapers and will announce the winner.

Candidates may be nominated up to and including the 10th of January, and the contest among these candidates will close on January 21st at midnight. Votes mailed or delivered prior to that time will be counted at the rate of one vote for one cent. Votes will be sold in coupon lots of twenty-five cents and may be secured at the Chamber of Commerce, the La Crosse Tribune and Leader-Press, and from the committee.

Coupon votes will also be obtainable from captains who will be appointed by the queen candidates as they are named, or if they desire, these captains will be appointed by the above committee, together with other workers in the interests of that particular Queen.

They may be deposited at the Chamber of Commerce, Tribune office, J. G. Dabrowski, 712 Clinton street, Hoeschler's and Hebbard's drug stores.

The queen contest should not be confused with the sale of red buttons. The Red Buttons are being sold primarily to pay the expenses of the corn and grain show and the carnival. A small white button, bearing a red rose will be given to each person who buys one 25c coupon. This small button is merely a receipt and a souvenir and will have no other value. The Red Button will be the only emblem which will entitle La Crosse people to take part in the various entertainments. Only persons wearing it will be admitted to

the amusement features and games. Delegates and exhibitors will be provided with badges which will admit them to dances, toboggan slides, skating rinks and be the equivalent of an entry fee to any of the sport events which they desire to enter. But local people will only be eligible for admission to sports or amusements if they wear the official Red Button.

Diamond for Queen

The successful contestant for Carnival Queen will be presented with a solitaire diamond ring and also will have provided an elaborate carnation costume. It is said that no greater honors have ever been paid to any lady in La Crosse than will be shown to the Queen of the Carnival who will for four days be the first lady of the city.

Free Votes

Many people who are selling Red Buttons should remember that up to and including January 8, any person or organization selling fifty or more red buttons is entitled to 200 free votes for queen for every fifty sold. This offer will close next Saturday and it behooves those who desire to start a Queen with free votes to finish with the fifty they have taken and turn in the name of their selection to the General Carnival Committee at the Chamber of Commerce. So far about one dozen people and organizations are entitled to name a Queen and the list of candidates will be published in day or two together with the number of votes each has received. Thereafter the standing of the contestants will be changed daily and will appear in the evening Tribune.

The selection of Queen of the Carnival has nothing whatever to do with the various Queens of marching clubs. Each organization or business house which uniforms a club may have and is expected to have its own queen but the queen of queens will be the lady who receives the largest number of votes in the contest which is explained above.

WISCONSIN TO CAST OFFICIAL VOTE FOR PRESIDENT MONDAY

Thirteen Electors to Meet at Capitol to Cast Formal Ballot

DELIVER CERTIFICATE TO PRESIDENT OF U. S. SENATE

Duplicate to be Filed With the U. S. District Judge

MADISON, Wis.—Wisconsin officially casts her vote for the president and vice-president of the United States on Monday, January 10, when thirteen electors gather in the capitol and formally ballot on the candidates. All of the Badger electors will come instructed to vote for President-elect Warren G. Harding and Vice-President-elect Calvin Coolidge.

The procedure of election as specified by the federal constitution is carefully regulated in every detail. Its specification that a messenger shall convey the vote to Washington has already resulted in a contest among the electors to be chosen for this duty, which carries with it a remuneration of twenty-five cents for each mile of travel.

Wisconsin electors who meet in Madison to express the choice of the state for president and vice-president are: Mrs. Theodore Youmans of Wausau; C. Z. Simmons of Kenosha; Myron E. Keats of Oconomowoc; David A. Bogue of Portage; Samuel Blum of Monroe; James T. Drought of Milwaukee; John E. Fitzgibbons of Milwaukee; William Mauche of Fond du Lac; J. Henry Bennett of Viruquo; Anton Kuchuk of Shawano; Max Sell of Florence; Mrs. A. C. Anderson of Menomonie, and John T. Murphy of Superior.

These electors meet at noon on the second Monday of January and after formally assembling each cast three votes for president and three votes for vice-president, and to each of their written votes attach a list of the electors furnished by direction of Governor Blaine.

Then in writing the electors appoint a person to take charge of and deliver to the president of the United States before the next Wednesday, one of the certificates. A second of the certificates of votes is forwarded to the president of the senate with the third delivered to the judge of the district court. If the certificate of vote carried by the special messenger fails to arrive by the fourth Monday in January, the president of the senate is ordered to send a special messenger to the district judge holding one of the certificates.

WOMAN FOILS ROBBER.
NEW YORK.—A lone woman, Miss Anna Hendricks, ticket seller in a subway booth, Wednesday morning frustrated an attempted robbery by an unnamed man and fought with him until help arrived and he was arrested.

SCHOOL BOARD IN PLEA TO COMPANY TO REDUCE FARES

Asks Utility to Remove Disproportionate Burden on School Attendance

PROPOSE RETURN TO ORIGINAL SCHEDULE

Point Out Fare Increase May Keep Children from Education

REQUEST that the original student carfare of thirty-five tickets for a dollar be re-established, in line with the suggestions of the Tribune and Leader-Press, has been made to the Wisconsin Railway, Light and Power company by the board of education.

The matter was discussed at the January meeting of the board on Monday evening, and the letter containing the request was forwarded to the company on Tuesday.

Extra Burden on Students

The letter points out that the recent rate increase was higher to students than to any other passengers and that this may prevent the school attendance of some children. It also requests that a former regulation permitting the use of student tickets at the noon hour be reinstated.

The letter follows:

"Manager, Wisconsin Railway, Light and Power Company, La Crosse, Wis.

"My Dear Sir: At a meeting of the board of education on January 3, the matter of the increase in street car fares for students attending the public schools was discussed at some length, and it was directed to file with you the following resolution which was unanimously adopted:

"Inasmuch as the recent increase in street car fares in the city of La Crosse affected the fare of children attending the public schools, and inasmuch as the rate of increase to children attending the public schools is higher than the rate of increase to adults, and

"Inasmuch as this may prevent the attendance of some children or at least add to the burden that is involved in some cases in keeping children in school, and

"Inasmuch as our state recognizes the value of school attendance on the part of children by providing attendance laws regulating it, and

"Inasmuch as we believe that the general public is in sympathy with the education of our youth, we, therefore, respectfully request you to reconsider your action in increasing the rate of school children, and we suggest that the original rate be re-established.

Contrast Increases

"Originally students attending the high school were provided with thirty-five tickets for \$1. This was at the rate of a trifle over three cents per ticket. At the same time the general adult rate was five cents.

Now the student rate is five cents straight while the adult may secure tickets at the rate of eight or fifty cents, which is a trifle over six cents a ticket. In other words, thirty-five rides which formerly cost the student one dollar now cost them \$1.75, while thirty-five rides which formerly cost adults \$1.75 now cost them \$2.15. The increase, therefore, on thirty-five rides for students is 75 per cent, while the increase in the rate for adults is 3.43, and the per cent of increase is a trifle less than 25 per cent.

"There are a large number of pupils in the local high school who are affected by this increase, which we believe is discriminatory.

"I am also directed to call your attention to the fact that student rates were formerly lowered during the noon hour as well as in the morning and after school. We respectfully request that the same regulation be permitted now.

"Respectfully submitted,

"B. E. MCCORMICK,
"Clerk, Board of Education."

THE WEATHER RECORD

For La Crosse and vicinity.—Fair to night. Thursday unsettled. Not much change in temperature.

For Wisconsin.—Fair tonight. Thursday unsettled, with probably snow in north portion. Not much change in temperature.

For Minnesota.—Mostly cloudy to night. Thursday, probably snow in north portion. Rising temperature in west portion tonight.

For Iowa.—Increasing cloudiness to night. Thursday, unsettled. Rising temperature in west portion tonight and in east and central portions Thursday.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURES—
6 a. m. — 24 10 a. m. — 28
7 a. m. — 23 11 a. m. — 29
8 a. m. — 22 12 m. — 31
9 a. m. — 26 1 p. m. — 35

NATION-WIDE RECORD—
Low Yesterday — 18
Last night — 15
Night high — 35

Bismarck — 18 24
Boston — 42 24
Chicago — 34 36
Denver — 34 36
Havana — 20 24
Knox — 20 24
La Crosse — 22 28
Madison — 26 32
Milwaukee — 20 28
Minneapolis — 20 28
New York — 24 32
San Diego — 42 60
San Francisco — 50 58
St. Paul — 24 32
Washington — 32 38
Wichita — 24 32

ASK RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT

ST. PAUL, Minn.—Reinstatement of capital punishment in Minnesota for first degree murder is sought in a bill introduced in the state house of representatives Wednesday. It would make the penalty for highway robbery 25 to 50 years' imprisonment. A five per cent tax on the net earnings of gamblers in the state.

LORD MAYOR OF CORK AND PETER MACSWINEY ARRIVE IN THE U. S. AS STOWAWAYS

CAME TO TESTIFY IN IRISH INQUIRY CLAIMS OFFICIAL

Answers Statement of Chairman of Irish Commission that He Was Not Invited

MAYOR HAS NO PASSPORT AND IS HELD AT NEWPORT NEWS

Await Word from Washington as to His Admissibility

NEWPORT NEWS, Va.—Daniel O'Callaghan, lord mayor of Cork, who arrived Tuesday as a stowaway on the American steamer West-Cannon in company with Peter MacSwiney, brother of the late Terrence MacSwiney, declared that the editors of the New York Nation, had invited him to testify before the commission of the Committee of One Hundred at Washington investigating the Irish situation. The statement was in answer to that of Frederick C. Howe, chairman of the commission who said Tuesday night the mayor had not been asked to appear before the commission.

"The invitation was extended by the New York people several months ago," Mayor O'Callaghan said.

Immigration Inspector L. R. Parker, in charge at this port, said he was still awaiting word from Washington as to the admissibility of the Irish official.

Both stowaways were arrested on arrival of the steamer from Ireland, but MacSwiney, who had a bona fide passport, was released and O'Callaghan permitted to proceed to a hotel where he is under surveillance.

MacSwiney explained the British authorities had refused to permit O'Callaghan to visit America and that it was necessary to stowaway on some steamer to make the trip. As to himself, he said he could have come on a passenger ship but preferred to accompany the lord mayor. Both had hoped to reach New York before their presence was known, as friends there were expected to arrange details of their entry.

MacSwiney left New York to visit his brother who then was starving himself to death in British prison. That trip also was made as a stowaway and without an American passport.

Washington Investigating
WASHINGTON.—Investigation of circumstances surrounding the entry into this country of Daniel J. O'Callaghan, lord mayor of Cork, who arrived at Newport News Tuesday as a stowaway and without a passport, was ordered by the state department. Officials of the department intimated, however, unless some extraordinary basis for extending was found, it was

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WHO'LL BE QUEEN?

In a few days the Queen contest will commence. This lady when elected will become the first lady of the Carnival. She will be presented with a fitting costume and a splendid diamond ring and she and the King will be the center of attraction during the Carnival ceremonies.

Coupons are to be sold entitling those who buy them to cast a certain number of votes for their choice for Queen. About ten ladies have already been given free votes secured by selling fifty or more buttons. Two hundred free votes are given for every fifty buttons sold. The Red Button is for the purpose of raising money to pay the expenses of the carnival and the corn and grain show.

It is also the badge of admission for all events and entertainments of the carnival. No admission whatever will be charged nor any entry fees required for those who wear a red button. Have you got yours?

SENATE COMMITTEE GETS NOWHERE ON DISARMAMENT PLAN

Discussion of Borah Resolution Without Result and Committee Adjourns Hearing

WASHINGTON.—Another discussion of the world naval disarmament by the senate foreign relations committee Wednesday was without result. The committee adjourned subject to the call of the chairman, expected within a few days.

Senator Walsh, democrat, Montana, supported his resolution requesting President Wilson to appoint an American representative to sit with the league of nations disarmament commission, and Senator Borah, republican, Idaho, pressed for his resolution looking to an agreement between the U. S. Great Britain and Japan to reduce naval construction by one-half during the next five years.

The hearing was the last scheduled by the committee.

ASKS EXPULSION OF SOCIALIST LEGISLATOR

ALBANY, N. Y.—A resolution calling for the expulsion of Charles Solomon, socialist member of the assembly from Kings, has been prepared for introduction in the assembly when the lower house convenes Wednesday. It will be offered by Assemblyman Ralph Halpern, republican, of Queens.

NEW TARIFF BILL TO BE PRESENTED AT EXTRA SESSION

WASHINGTON.—Plans for the introduction of a new republican tariff bill soon after convening of the extra session of congress President-elect Harding is expected to call in March.

Mr. Fordney of the house ways and means committee.

Mr. Fordney said it was proposed to continue hearings on tariff questions until all interests had opportunity to present their views to the committee.

TWO BOYS DROWNED IN EFFORT TO SAVE LIFE OF BROTHER

Three Children Break Through
the Ice While Skating on
Milwaukee River

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—While skating on the ice in the Milwaukee river several miles northwest of the city Tuesday afternoon, the three sons of Mr. and Mrs. John Hecker of West Bend, Clarence, aged 12; Leo, 10, and Lawrence, 6, were drowned when they fell through the ice.

A 4-year-old playmate, who had remained on the bank, witnessed the accident, but, childlike, failed to notify his parents until half an hour later.

The older boys are supposed to have been "testing" the ice preparatory to a long skate, when their younger brother followed them. He strayed from his brothers and slipped through a hole in the ice.

The older boys ran to his aid and made an attempt to rescue him, when they, too, fell through the thin ice surrounding the opening and disappeared, according to the information gained after much questioning of the little fellow who saw the tragedy.

A rescue party, formed immediately after the accident was reported, succeeded after two hours in recovering the bodies of the two older boys, but up to a late hour Tuesday night no trace of the baby's body had been found.

Public Debate

THE BRITISH NAVY AND THE WAR

La Crosse, Wis., Jan. 1, 1921.
The La Crosse Tribune and Leader-Press:

In a recent editorial concerning naval preparedness you make the curious assertion that the great dreadnoughts of the British navy, because of the huge cost of their maintenance, nearly lost the war.

While it is true that they, as a whole, were never heavily engaged it is no less certain that they served their great purpose: a purpose absolutely vital to the allied cause. For they held the bulk of the great German fleet impotent—bottled up in inland waters.

Had the Germans secured mastery of the seas during the early months of the war England would, of course, have been blockaded into starvation and submission within a few weeks and no assistance could have been rendered to the French army. With France, Russia and the lesser allies speedily subdued or neutralized it is not difficult to imagine what might have happened had Mr. Hohenzollern turned his attention to this hemisphere. With our deplorable state of preparedness and utter lack of policy it requires considerable optimism to conclude that we were in position to successfully resist invasion.

This is not intended as a discussion of the merits of any present naval policy or program but in view of the above facts your readers will undoubtedly appreciate further enlightenment as to the line of reasoning pursued in arriving at the conclusion that the British navy "nearly lost the war."

Sad Case
Attorney—You say these people are affected by the moon?
Expert—Yes, the old man is crazy over moonshine and the daughter becomes silly in the moonlight.—Detroit News.

BLACKHEADS GO QUICK BY THIS SIMPLE METHOD

Blackheads—big ones or little ones—soft ones or hard ones—on any part of the body, go quick by a simple method that just dissolves them. To do this get about two ounces of calomel powder from your druggist—sprinkle a little on a hot, wet sponge—rub over the blackheads briskly for a few seconds—and wash off. You'll wonder where the blackheads have gone. The calomel powder and the hot water have just dissolved them. Pinching and squeezing blackheads only open the pores of the skin and leave them open and uncleanly—and unless the blackheads are big and soft, they will not come out, while the simple application of calomel powder and water dissolves them right out, leaving the skin soft and the pores in their natural condition. You can get calomel powder at any drug store and if you are troubled with these unsightly blemishes you should certainly try this simple method.

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The Screen

AT THE THEATERS TODAY

Rivoli—Tourneart special, "Deep Waters," and two reel comedy, "Jungle Gentlemen"; Fox News.
Majestic—Mary Miles Minter in "Sweet Lavender," and two reel comedy, "Farmyard Follies," and two acts of glassy vaudeville.
Edison—The Devil's Passkey.
Casino—"Courage of Marge O'Doone" and Pollard comedy, "Hot Dog."
Strand—"Uncharted Channels"; "Son of Turan," number 10.
Hiviera—Wallace Reid in "Double Speed"; Senon comedy, "Dull Care."

AT THE BIJOU

The pleasure-loving Romans of old had nothing on the French stage favorite of today when it comes to luxury in the matter of bathing facilities—at least if one is to believe a scene in Erich von Stroheim's special feature, "The Devil's Pass Key," now being shown at the Bijou Theater.

One of the scenes in the story shows Mae Busch, in the role of a Spanish dancer, enjoying her morning bath. The word morning is used figuratively for the lady in question does not begin her day till long after the noonday hour. Von Stroheim copied the bath room from a picture of the private bathroom of a Parisian stage favorite before the war. Several cameramen fought for the privilege of photographing this scene.

Von Stroheim remembered that he had seen Mae Busch play a role similar to that of the Spanish dancer on the musical stage, with Eddie Fox in "Over the River." So when he assigned her the part his only directions were: "Play it just as you did that role on the stage; only remember you are in Paris instead of New York, moving in a set that is broad on views and short on morals."

AT THE STRAND

It pays to be a plumber in these days of high wages but it would pay even better if one could be the kind of a plumber H. B. Warner impersonates in his latest and most captivating role in "Uncharted Channels," a Jesse D. Hampton production released through Robertson-Cole.

The picture, which will be the principal attraction at the Strand Theater today shows the "Chesterfield of the screen," not only at work as a plumber but dressed in the lowly garb of that now regal personage.

AT THE RIVIERA

Situations in the movies in which the hero poses as another and causes all sorts of complications are fairly common. Did you ever hear of a person occasioning a big commotion simply by pretending to be himself? That's what Wallace Reid does in his new photoplay, "Double Speed," at the Riviera today.

The star has the role of "Speed" Carr, youthful and very rich, who is

bound for Los Angeles from New York by auto. In the middle of the Western desert he is robbed of everything. Finally arriving in Los Angeles he is thrown out of the bank as an imposter when he tries to identify himself and lands plumb into romance and adventure as he spots his stolen car with a pretty girl in it. He assumes the name of a crook and the garb of a chauffeur to trail the girl. The climax comes when "Speed" in his role as chauffeur is induced by the president of the very bank from which he was ejected to pose as "Speed" Carr in order to put over a big deal.

AT THE RIVOLI

Perhaps the desire to become a detective isn't so strong among the youth of the country as it was when nickel novels and the old-fashioned melodrama were in their heyday, but it is safe to say that Nicholas Carter and Sherlock Holmes are still many a fourteen-year-old's ideals. Charles Ray plays a smalltown boy whose one ambition is to become famous as a detective in his latest screen comedy, "A Village Sleuth," which will occupy the screen at the Theater Thursday to Saturday.

Charlie starts out as a farmer's boy who employs some highly original methods to discover the thieves who are invading his father's melon patch. The results of his investigation lead him to depart from home. Later he becomes a handy man around a big private sanitarium. There a real mystery develops and Charlie proves himself a real sleuth by solving it.

"A Village Sleuth" was written by Agnes Christine Johnson. Winifred Westover is Mr. Ray's leading woman and the picture, which was directed by Jerry Storm, is a Paramount production by Thomas H. Ince.

AT THE MAJESTIC

"Silk Husbands and Calico Wives" is the interesting title of the latest production from the Garson Studios.

Harry Garson announces the distinguished actor, House Peters as the star in this production. Mr. Peters has long been the idol of the film loving public in this country and beloved because of his virile, red-blooded type of character portrayals, and his magnificent success as Johnson in "The Girl of the Golden West" and "The Great Divide" are still regarded as among the very best portrayals of film history.

"Silk Husbands and Calico Wives" is one of the really interesting plays of the season and is truly a thoroughly and intensely modern story dealing with the city.

The above attraction comes to the Majestic Thursday to Saturday in addition to the vaudeville program

which consists of Tom Pedrini, a splendid musician, who renders a number of popular as well as classical selections on the accordion.
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MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE

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LANSING, Mich.—The fifty-first Michigan legislature convened Wednesday with solid republican memberships in both houses. Mrs. Eva M. Hamilton, the first woman in the legislature, took her seat in the senate. Proposals in prospect include measures for governmental economy, consolidation of various state departments and a soldiers' bonus. Governor Greenback will address a joint session Thursday.

DAVENPORT MAYOR QUILTS THE SOCIALIST PARTY

Denounces Radical Tendencies of Socialist Aldermen
DAVENPORT, Iowa.—Dr. C. L. Barewald, mayor of Davenport, elected on the socialist ticket a year ago, Wednesday announced his resignation from the party.

Purely local issues prompted his action, he said.

In an interview the mayor said: "My leaving the socialist party is the best thing I have ever done. I've been trying to get along with the radical aldermen in the council but it is no longer possible. I have no co-operation from the socialist aldermen in the council work and they have perverted their radical ideas to interfere with the welfare of the city."

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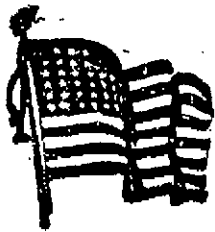
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BLESSED BE GOD

BLESSED be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings to heavenly places in Christ.—Ephesians 1:3.

Distributing Immigrants

ONE of the troubles with our immigration problem is that the incoming stream of immigrants doesn't stream after it passes Ellis Island. It jells almost immediately, and congeals along the Atlantic coast, mainly in New York and Massachusetts, where the country is already overcrowded. The great unsettled spaces of the west generally, including the northwest and the southwest, don't get enough immigrants to bless themselves with. And they could find them profitable employment, furnish them more congenial living conditions and a chance to get ahead and become good citizens which the slums of New York's east side or Massachusetts mill towns could never offer.

Figures tell the story very clearly. In the last year in which there was immigration, ending in June, 1914, 1,218,480 persons came to settle in the United States from Europe. Half of the total settled in a few of the eastern states, a full half million going to New York and Massachusetts alone. Analysts say that ninety per cent of this half million settled in New York City and Boston. A half million more got as far west as Pennsylvania and Illinois—meaning mostly Pittsburgh and Chicago, of course. Five big cities, to sum it up, got practically all of that million and a quarter of immigrants, and didn't know what in the world to do with them. They complicated the labor and industrial situation in New York, Boston, Chicago, Pittsburgh and Philadelphia—and in the meantime the farmers were begging for help with their crops and huge acreages of arable land lay idle for want of man-power.

The disparity in the distribution between city and country may be measured by the fact that of that year's whole immigration the whole of the great west got about 80,000.

The immigrants are not alone to blame. The great bulk of them come to this country excessively ignorant of conditions. They come from countries of restricted area, where a day's journey in many cases will suffice to cover a nation from border to border. They have no conception of the great distances of America. No one tells them that the cities of the east are not all there is of this country. There is no big organization of farm interests to steer them into the places where they are needed, but there are big industrial concerns to tell them of jobs in steel mills and textile plants. Naturally they remain in the cities. Ignorant of the language and of the customs and opportunities of the country they can do no other.

To meet this situation there are two courses suggested. One is to divide the stream of immigration among the several ports of the United States, permitting only certain numbers to land at New York, Philadelphia and other Atlantic ports, and requiring the rest to enter at the gulf ports, to pass through the Panama canal to the west coast or to get into the northwest by being taken "in bond" through Canada. Then, if the stream "jells" as soon as it passes the port of entry, at least it would be to some extent distributed. But the second proposal would help to keep it from "jelling" by establishing on a big scale a placement service of advice and assistance to the immigrant, where he could learn, in his own language, where his efforts would be most welcome and his opportunity the largest. Together these two suggestions seem to offer promise of great good, not only to the immigrant but also to the nation. It would cost something, of course, but in addition to the value of the work to the country, not to be fixed definitely by its very nature, it must be remembered that immigrants pay a \$1 entrance fee to enter the country. The immigration service of the United States, from this revenue alone, has paid its expenses and piled up a surplus of more than \$10,000,000. The fund is large enough, surely, for a considerable development along some such lines as proposed.

Just now there is a good prospect of shutting off immigration for the coming year, to save off the five million Europeans who have already made up their minds to get to this coun-

try as soon as they can obtain steamer passage. But this is conceded to be merely a temporary measure, adopted to permit the framing of adequate means of filtering and handling the influx when the gates are again opened. The sound sense apparent in the two suggestions noted above would appear to indicate that any discussion of immigration regulation for the future ought at least to consider them, as well as literacy and other tests of the personal desirability of the prospective citizen.

Thoughts About Slavery

IN 1863 Abraham Lincoln proclaimed the slaves owned in the United States should become free men. Convinced that a nation "could not survive half slave and half free," he terminated slavery, and the nation survived.

Slavery began when the world was young. Women were the first slaves, because our hunter-forbearers largely "let the women do the work," and doubtless there were other reasons. Early farmers were not strong for slavery. Tribal militarists needed slaves, and took them where they found them. Farming on a larger scale, and more highly developed industry, made its demand for slaves, but back of our own industrial era there was largely slavery of certain classes rather than individual slavery. Advancing civilization has been getting rid of its slaves, however, and we've come to look upon it as a thing of the past.

Current cables announce "the last slave market is doomed." The dispatch relates that upon taking over Wazzan, Morocco, the French forces closed a slave market there, the last known to exist, in which were sold slaves brought in from outlying territory.

And so we are told that slavery no longer exists "except as punishment of a crime whereof the offender has been duly convicted." There are industrial workers who deny this, pointing to themselves. Often they have cause for complaint. But as slavery was known to our hairy ancestors the modern laboring man who calls himself a slave may be said to exaggerate. He may be oppressed, but he is not a slave.

Child Hygiene Work

HOW far the states have officially recognized the importance of child welfare work is brought out in the annual report of the Children's Bureau of the United States Department of Labor. At the present time thirty-five states have created child hygiene or child welfare divisions. Before organized effort for such divisions was carried on as a part of the Children's Year Campaign only eight states had such divisions. New Jersey has appropriated \$150,000 a year for its child hygiene division. This is the largest budget so far adopted by any state, but some bureaus with only meager appropriations, through the co-operation of medical, public health and social welfare organizations, have been able to carry out far-reaching plans of health work.

Coloradoan suggests that farmers be allowed two wives, the object being to attract men to rural pursuits. But would it?

Ponzi's poetry writing may prove to be simply a prosaic effort to establish an insanity plea.

In Ye Olden Times

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

Residents of the Sixth ward who have children going to the Hamilton school have entered a protest against the action taken by the school board in voting to remove the old frame dwelling to the grounds north of the school to be used as a manual training building, declaring it would be a disgrace to add the dilapidated structure to the equally poor building already there, which is being used to accommodate first and second grade pupils.

President F. A. Cloton and Professor D. O. Coate of the La Crosse Normal school, leave tonight for Milwaukee where they will attend a conference called for the purpose of considering revised courses of study and scope of work to be followed in the normal schools of the state. The conference was called as a result of a series of meetings held last summer at which dissatisfaction with the present courses was expressed.

The sale of anti-tuberculosis campaign seals in La Crosse this year aggregated \$702, approximately \$190 short of the sales of last year.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

An epidemic of la grippe has reached this city in a mild form and a large number of people are confined to their homes.

Mackey Thompson has purchased the controlling interest in the Allen-Gleason Camera company of this city. The deal was closed yesterday and now Mackey Thompson and his brother, Clark Thompson, own the greater part of the stock in this enterprise.

Nathan Smith, the old and well known colored farmer who has lived on a farm near West Salem for the past forty years, and who was a slave before the Civil war, has sold his farm at West Salem and will retire. He is 81 years old.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Mr. O. E. Denham of West La Crosse, has purchased a state right for a patent tub holder. He has them manufactured at the Wheel and Sander works.

An ice rink is being built at the mouth of the La Crosse river. A shed has been built where skaters can warm themselves and the place will soon be ready for use.

On account of the strong current many rafts have gone ashore at the head of Isle La Pume and tonight at the common council meeting a recommendation will be made that the pier boom at the new bridge be extended south from Pier No. 2, a distance of 200 feet. The water sets in toward the shore at that point, and a snubbing pier used by the saw mills makes it necessary to build a protection for the rafts.

The tracks leading into the new street car barn on George street have been arranged so that cars can be taken in or out at any time without interfering with the movement of the others cars.

Abe Martin



Mrs. Lou Mendosa, who has been missing for two days, was found in a miserable condition in a turnstile at the La Crosse depot. Foot pads are getting so thick here folks have a whistle all the way home.

MOON AND MOUNTAIN

BY RUBY DOUGLAS

Helen Morrison had come to the Berkshires as traveling companion to an elderly and very wealthy invalid who took the trip each autumn as regularly as she wore off the September sheet from her calendar.

Inasmuch as Helen was eighteen and her employer was eighty, the young girl found herself, at most times, desperately lonely. The chauffeur who drove the big limousine in which they traveled day after day along some of the most wonderfully lovely roads Helen had ever dreamed of, was as nearly a machine as the motor he was running.

He spoke of nothing but speeds and spark plugs, batteries and bearings. Helen was sure it was a car-burder that kept his body and soul joined together during this earthly span. And how could even a desperately lonely girl chum with a man so mechanically inclined?

"Oh," she wrote home, "to be in this gloriously romantic country, in these moonlit mountain paths without so much as a human being to talk with! One of my companions is eighty and dozing continually. The other is a machine running according to a speedometer. I'm afraid I had an even ordinarily attractive male person anywhere near me I should forget that I had any such a thing as a brake!"

The party stopped for the night in a mountain town that lay in a beautiful valley with hills climbing up on every side and a river flowing between the two states. Helen's employer retired after she had partaken of the simple country supper the hotel offered. Helen, lonely, homesick, wandered to the veranda just in time to see the chauffeur starting out for the garage to put up the car for the night.

"Hawkins," she called, almost without thinking what she was about to do, "where are you going?"

"To put up the car, Miss Morrison. Do you want something?"

"No, that is I think I'll go with you just by way of diversion. Madam is asleep and will not need me. Helen stepped inside the big car and the astonished chauffeur closed the door and took his seat.

"I'll walk home alone, Hawkins," she said when the man opened the door for her again after they had reached the inside of the big garage, where there seemed to be many touring cars put up for the night.

"You know the way, Miss?" Hawkins asked.

Helen was sure that she did, and with a short good night found her way out to the street.

As she was leaving the garage a car bearing an Iowa license was about to enter. Helen stopped short and looked the driver squarely in the eyes.

"George!" she cried. "George Taylor!"

The young fellow stopped his car and jumped out to grasp Helen's two hands.

"Helen, however in this world did you happen to be here—in Brattleboro, Vt.?"

"I have a job—I'm traveling companion to a rich Mrs. Tagely—don't you remember her?"

"I can't remember anything—anyone—but you, Helen, at this moment," the young man announced very firmly. "Won't you come out for a drive and tell me all about it?"

"But—but you were putting up your car, weren't you?" asked Helen.

"I was, yes. But my family has gone to rest and I didn't want to drive alone. Will you come?"

Helen demurred for a moment, and then, after returning to the garage to leave a message with Hawkins, who did not seem to listen to her since he was absorbed in the explanation of the use of a carbon remover, she decided to go.

George Taylor had made this trip more than once with his people, and he was surprisingly familiar with the beautiful mountain roads about Brattleboro. He and Helen explained to each other in the course of an hour

SCHOOL STUDY SPORTS

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Writes Novel

Ambitious young writers and contributors to our columns may find inspiration in the fact that Helen Lincoln, clever thirteen-year-old New York author, called "New York's Own Daisy Ashford," has already dashed off a number of literary efforts that have "taken." She has written one novel, several short stories and a number of poems that are said to be excellent.

OLD LADY RIDDLE

What bridge creates the most anxiety? (Answer to yesterday's: "Why are teachers like that?" Because they are regular, irregular and defective.)



INDOOR MAGIC

To Pick One Tumbler Thru Another—Drive out two tumblers that are exactly the same size and of such shape as to allow one to slide at least half way over the other. For practicing, two tin tumbler-shaped caps which the tinsmith will be glad to make for you, are suitable, and even to be preferred, for in doing this trick there is some chance of breaking one of the glasses.

Sit on a chair so that the falling glass will land in the lap. Grasp one of the glasses between the thumb and second finger of the left hand and then shove the other tumbler (the upper one), held in the right hand, in and out of the tumbler in the left hand several times. While doing this contrive to grasp the right hand tumbler between the thumb and first finger of the left hand, while the tumbler originally in the left hand, the lower one, slips to the lap.

Just how they happened to find themselves so far apart during the summer. There had been another girl at college, and there had been another man at home, and they had missed each other more than either of them had realized till Helen's eyes caught sight of the familiar home-town automobile license.

"We are going to, Williamstown, and then around about and back by the Mohawk Trail, George," Helen was saying when George stopped the car beside an exquisitely moonlit view of mountain and river.

He turned squarely toward her, now that he was relieved of the responsibility of finding the car. "You were saying—"

"Oh, George, weren't you listening?" Helen asked a little confused by his direct and constantly increasing eagerness.

"I cannot hear for the beating of my own heart, dear. And what is more, I don't intend to listen to anything but one sentence—do you love me?"

Helen did not answer. He put his arm about her shoulders and lifted her face so that the moon shone full into her eyes. "Tell me, Helen, I cannot wait any longer. I must know. I have been seeing your face in all the mountains, in all the pools, in all the skies, day and night."

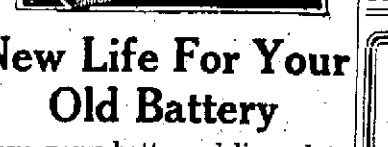
"I don't like to tell you—way up here so—so far from home, George. It is so strange."

"Love is strange, dear. Do you love me?"

Helen nodded. "Yes—I'm afraid I do, I suspect that was why I was so desperately lonely in all this wonderfully romantic country—because I was longing for you—to love me."

After a while the car with the Iowa license found its way back to the garage guided by hands that trembled with emotion. And in more than one mountain town, during the remainder of the trip through the mountains the two parties happened to find

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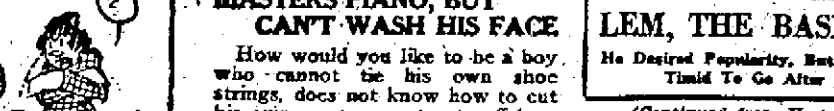
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MASTERS PIANO, BUT CAN'T WASH HIS FACE

How would you like to be a boy who cannot tie his own shoe strings, does not know how to cut his own meat, cannot put cuff buttons in his shirt, won't allow himself to be shaved, and instead uses a pair of barber's hair-clippers to cut away the "fuzz," but, to offset all this, is able to play a piano in such a manner as to be called a master?

That is just the kind of a boy eighteen-year-old Ervin Nyredghazi, has, eccentric Hungarian boy pianist, who only a short while ago made a brilliant debut in America, is.

He is described as being a "tall, stringy youth, dark hair, greatly in need of cutting, and is melancholy in appearance."

He is spoken of by some as an infant prodigy developed unhealthily. His hands are long and the muscles in them stand out like cords. The forearm, too, is wonderfully developed, but the upper arm is far from normal, being very thin and weak.

Ervin Nyredghazi has literally lived at a piano for nearly sixteen years and during that time he has been attended over-carefully by his mother, which accounts for the fact that he cannot wash his own face, tie his own shoestrings, or even dress himself.

OLD MAN PUZZLE

Transpositions:
1. N a g r i w b o, a poet of the nineteenth century.
2. N i o d s e, an inventor and scientist.
3. A e n t d s l o g, a statesman. (Answer to yesterday's: Halibut.)

VERY VINE, INDEED

Miss Buchanan is a wise teacher. When she goes out of the room she always says, "Don't make too much noise."—HYDRA PARK WEEKLY, Chicago, Ill.

WHO IS HE?

Was made chief justice of the United States in 1801 by President Adams. (Yesterday's: Dante, the Italian poet who wrote "The Divine Comedy.")

STRIKE THREATENS GERMANY

LONDON.—Germany is again threatened with extensive railway and industrial strikes, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Berlin, Wednesday.

A large majority of the German railway men have voted in favor of a strike.

In the Ruhr and Rhine industrial districts 91 per cent of the workers have voted favorably to strike for increased wages.

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FRANCE CELEBRATES 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF NAPOLEON'S DEATH

America Invited to Participate
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Next Year

NEW YORK.—American participation in the celebration by France of the 100th anniversary of the death of Napoleon on May 5 next was invited here today by Professor William Mulligan Sloane of Princeton, N. J., speaking for the French committee headed by Marshal Foch. A feature of the affair whose objects, it is stated, are "to bind up the wounds of France," will be a great exhibition of Napoleonic relics at Versailles, France, to which collections will be loaned from all parts of the world.

Professor Sloane, who for 42 years held the chair of history at Princeton and later at Columbia university, said that French statesmen, soldiers and men of law and letters as well as other professions compose the committee which is arranging the celebration.

"Making all allowance for every severe criticism," he said, "it is still true that his work unified France, saved it from partition among its neighbors and, in civil life, prepared alike the foundation and structure of the society which in the world was saved France, and helped to save all western civilization. It was by his impulse and guidance that the financial credit of France was restored, that the nation's trace and administration took definite shape, that the civil code was promulgated, the Bank of France created, the University of France modeled on that of the state of New York and the Council of State organized."

"The public-private property, safe, opened public charges, great and small, to all classes, founded schools, colleges and secondary schools, built magnificent highways, dug an elaborate system of internal waterways, improved transportation of every sort and, above all, reorganized in his institutions the commanding position of belles lettres, the fine arts and natural science. The superb inheritance of order, progress and prosperity which he bequeathed made the France of 1914."

"The French committee especially desires American participation by contributions, by the loan of Napoleon from American collections and, above all, the moral support of intelligent interest on this side of the Atlantic."

GREAT SINGER COMING

La Crosse society, debutantes and downers, young boys and old boys, will be out en masse at the La Crosse theater Saturday, matinee and night, Jan. 8th, to greet Norma Jeane Jackson in Ralph Bunton's magnificent production of the opera "Carmen." Miss Jackson is a favorite here. She sang her way into the hearts of the public last season when she appeared in the role of "Aida" in "Robbin Hood."

Several social events, scheduled for the day of her arrival, have been arranged, and Miss Jackson will be the honor guest with members of her company, including James Stevens, noted American baritone who sings the role of "Escamillo" and Norma Jeane Arnold, New York singer who is the "Don Jose" of the opera.

Miss Jackson has made a tremendous hit this season, dramatic and musical critics in the cities unite in stating that she is by far the best "Carmen" since the days of the great Carr.

Mr. Dunbar has surrounded Miss Jackson with a really wonderful production. Nothing has been left undone to make "Carmen" perfect in cast, scenic values, costumes and in lighting effects. A special symphony orchestra, conducted by the well known Johnston, is carried in completely interpreted the score of the beloved Giza. And in the last thing some there is a full peopled brass band, to add a touch of realism.

"Carmen" will be the big theatrical event of the present season and it is predicted that every seat will be sold in the theater before the organization arrives.

'THE CALL TO THE MINISTRY'

An elderly woman now living in the west, formerly a resident of Princeton, New Jersey, not long ago visited her relatives in that town. She was especially interested in the progress of a nephew who had entered the ministry. She had not seen him since his boyhood, and was, therefore, anxious to attend service at his church.

At dinner, subsequent to the Sunday services, she heard delivered by her nephew, it was observed that the old woman was singularly reticent.

Suddenly she broke her long silence by asking her nephew, William, "Why, did you enter the ministry?"

"Why, and?" exclaimed the young divine, "what a question! I entered the ministry because I was called."

Just a suspicion of a smile came to the old woman's face, as she responded: "Are you sure, William, that it wasn't some other noise you heard?"

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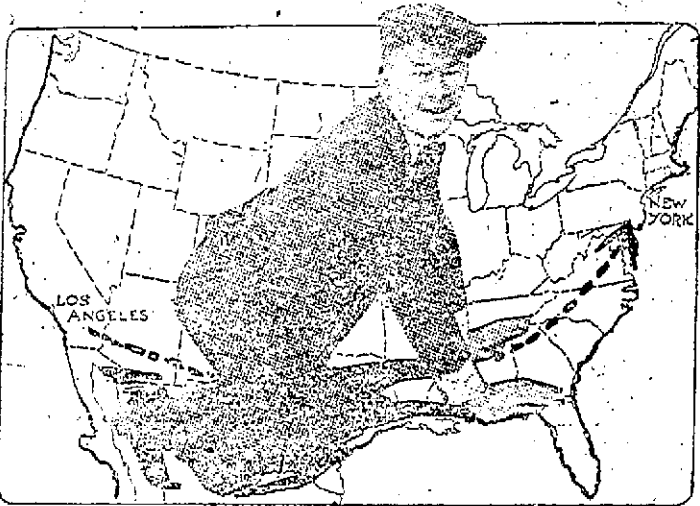
COCHRAN, Ont.—First details of experiences of three American naval aviators who suffered unusual hardships while wandering four days in dense Canadian woods and were forced to eat their carrier pigeons, received from Moose Factory, the Hudson Bay trading post where they found shelter.

CHICAGO, Ill.—Manufacturers cut prices of suits much below the 1920 spring prices at the opening of the market for men's spring and summer clothing.

PHILADELPHIA.—Tex Rickard was ordered to pay \$500 to William Recap, a boxing referee, and spent writer by a jury in Recap's slender suit against Rickard.

The highly colored beak snake, though venomous, rarely uses its fangs.

READY TO CRAWL ACROSS THE U. S.



LOS ANGELES, Calif.—Anybody got \$10,000 they want to bet that Charles E. Wade of Los Angeles, can't crawl on his hands and feet from Los Angeles to New York in one year's time? Wade thinks he can "make the grade" and offers his services for five years as his side of the wager. He estimates he can cover from 15 to 16 miles a day.

OFFER REWARD FOR CAPTURE OF SLAYER OF CHICAGO OFFICER

CHICAGO, Ill.—Edward Morris, alias Foster, with a reward of \$250 for his capture, guaranteed by the police department, is sought as the alleged slayer of John Mullen, Chicago policeman, Monday and as the bandit who robbed a jewelry store here of more than \$18,000 in money and securities Tuesday.

HIGHWAY LEADING TO LAKE LOUISE OPEN TO TOURISTS

OTTAWA, Ont.—The Newcastle-Lake Louise highway, connecting the provinces and northern United States with the Lake Louise region, one of the most picturesque regions in the Rockies, was opened to motorists Wednesday.

JUNEAU COUNTY HAS FIRST WOMAN DEPUTY SHERIFF IN STATE

JUNEAU, Wis.—JunEAU will have the first woman deputy sheriff in the state, it was learned Wednesday, when Deputy Sheriff-elect George Johnson announced he would appoint Mrs. (Irene) Johnson, his wife, as deputy sheriff. She will wear the badge and drive the official automobile, he said.

PROHIBITION AGENTS MAKE HUGE HAUL OF LIQUOR IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK.—The biggest liquor haul in this city since the Volstead act went into effect was made here Wednesday when \$250,000 worth of whisky was seized by federal agents at the wholesale establishment of Singer Arnold, New York, who is the "Don Jose" of the opera.

EDITOR SENTENCED FOR CRITICISM OF FILIPINO SOLONS

MANILA.—Gregorio Delgado, editor of La Nacion, organ of the nationalist party, was sentenced Wednesday to two months' imprisonment following conviction on a charge of having criticized members of the legislature.

'Forty Years' Service for a Buggy

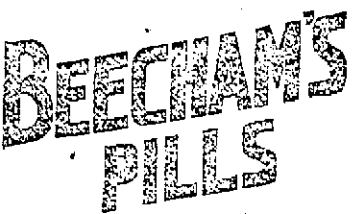
The same buggy has been seen on the streets of Hanover, Ind., every day for forty years. In the meantime several horses have come and gone but the buggy keeps right along. It is the vehicle of Prof. Young, of the college of that place, who has been an instructor at the institution during that time.

The Snail Suggested the Screw

It is no doubt true that nearly all human inventions have been suggested by natural objects. It is not the snail, of the shell that suggested the screw, but the spiral motion which is necessary to give to the body of

Painful Sensations

in the muscles, "neuralgia" soreness, aching back, pimples, boils, rashes and other eruptions, usually result from self-poisoning by products of imperfectly digested or non-eliminated food.



help to restore activity of liver, bowels, kidneys, and skin, and so counteract cause and relieve symptoms.

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

ARMENIAN GIRLS IN TURKISH HAREMS ARE UNWILLING TO LEAVE

Relief Workers Find Girls
Ready to Remain With
Their Husbands

SAMSOUN, Asia Minor.—Entente and American officials and relief workers entrusted with the task of restoring Armenian girls and women to their families have found that many of the girls who, in the war, were forcibly taken into harems and became the involuntary wives of the Turks and Arabs preferred to continue as Turkish wives, and were unwilling to leave their husbands.

They feared the hardships of life among fellow countrymen who knew of their servitude. Some of the girls became attached to their foreign husbands and said they liked the life in which they had fallen. Where the girls had children the problem was doubly hard.

The lot of some of the educated women and girls was much more pitiable than that of those who had enjoyed no advantages. American women relief workers found one case in Central Turkey especially perplexing.

A girl who was graduated from one of the American mission colleges was taken captive in the early part of the war. A prominent Turkish official whose only wife had recently died took the Armenian girl into his home. His mother and children became much attached to the girl, whose superior education made her an important member of the community.

The Turk was very influential and, through the influence of the young Armenian, saved Armenian refugees from persecution. He proposed to the girl and she finally married him. When the relief workers went to the Turkish home to find whether the young bride desired to be freed from her husband, there was consternation in the house. The Turk and his mother and children were devoted to the girl and begged the Americans not to force her to leave. The young wife had one child.

The relief workers talked to the Armenian wife privately and told her they would not insist upon her leaving if she wanted to stay. She told them she could not leave her child; that the Turk had been kind to her and she felt that by remaining in the village as the wife of its most prominent official she could be of greater assistance to Armenians than in any other way. The Turkish husband and his family were overjoyed when the Americans told them they would not take the girl away. He promised her

would not take another wife and gave the Americans rugs and other gifts as an expression of appreciation.

Chinese Want Machinery
There is a large and growing market in China for every kind of machinery. This is particularly true of machinery used in the textile industry. The Chinese are going to be competitors of the whole world in textiles. When a Chinaman figures out

anything and decides to adopt it in his business he is not content to stop there. He is buying machinery for every process in which he has learned its advantages.

Ship Ahoy!
Announcement that 5,000 cases of champagne are on their way to this country is enough to disturb the sleep of the pirates of the Spanish Main. Saginaw News-Courier.

Red Pepper Stops Rheumatic Pains

Rub It on Sore, Stiff Joints and Muscles, and Rheumatism, Lumbago and Pain Vanish—Try It and See!

Red Pepper Rub takes the "ouch" from sore, stiff, aching joints. It cannot hurt you, and it certainly ends that old rheumatism torture at once.

When you are suffering so you can hardly get around, just try "Red Pepper Rub," and you will have the quickest relief known. Nothing has

such concentrated, penetrating heat as red peppers. Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Rub you will feel the tingling heat. In three minutes it warms the sore spot through and through. Pain and soreness are gone. Ask any druggist for a jar of Rowles Red Pepper Rub. It costs but little.

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For Coats, Suits and
Dresses formerly
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Cloth COATS

Plush COATS

Satin Dresses

Tricoline Dresses

Georgette Dresses

Taffeta Dresses

Tricoline Dresses

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\$35

For Coats, Suits and
Dresses formerly
up to \$89.50

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Cloth COATS

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Plush COATS

Satin Dresses

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Taffeta Dresses

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Tricoline Dresses

Lace Dresses

Party Dresses

Tricoline Dresses

\$50

For Coats, Suits and
Dresses formerly
up to \$135.00

SOCIETY

CAMILLA MACWILLIE IS HONOR GUEST AT PRENUPTIAL AFFAIR

AT ONE o'clock on Tuesday Mrs. A. Floyd Andrews, of Minneapolis and Mrs. Jerome Larson of this city were hostesses at a pretty luncheon at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Erickson, 919 King street, in compliment to Miss Camilla MacWillie, who is soon to be a bride.

The table was most daintily appointed and was centered by a basket of pink roses and narcissus. The places were indicated by bridal cards, that of the bride-elect being designated by a corsage bouquet of roses and violets. Covers were laid for ten.

THE LADIES' Aid society of the First Methodist church, will be entertained Thursday afternoon at the church parlors by Mrs. B. S. Steadwell, Mrs. A. W. Schall and Mrs. J. W. Tubbsing. The business session will be held at three o'clock, and at four an informal program will be given. Mrs. P. A. Pruess and Mrs. A. C. Bangsberg will sing and Miss Rosalie Lyza will give a reading. The invitation is cordially extended to members and friends.

DR. AND MRS. A. A. Barr entertained at their home, 1716 State street, at a delightful holiday party. The evening was very merry with games and music and a delicious luncheon was served. The guests numbered thirty-two.

MRS. HARRY Williams, 1003 Cameron Avenue, will entertain the members of the Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon at three o'clock.

The regular meeting of the Re-lukah lodge will be held tonight, Wednesday, at 7:45 sharp for installation. All members are requested to be in attendance.

THE CATHOLIC Woman's league will meet at the K. C. club Thursday evening, January 5, at eight o'clock. A large attendance is desired.

A MOST enjoyable old time dance was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hemker on the State Road. A delicious luncheon was served at half past eleven. The guests were the families of Messrs. and Mesdames John Meinert, Jacob Stahl, Emil Hicke, Adolph Seiler, Messrs. Felix Miller and Peter Seiler.

THE IMPERIAL Sewing Circle will meet Friday afternoon at half past two at Odd Fellows' hall. Members are asked to be present.

PROP. A. H. Bernhard, 230 South Nineteenth street, entertained a group of the La Crosse Normal school alumni Monday afternoon.

TUESDAY EVENING a party of twenty of the Normal school alumni enjoyed a sleigh ride out to the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Gister on the North Salem Road, where games were played and refreshments were served.

MR. AND MRS. J. E. Brugger, 2027 Charles street, entertained at six o'clock dinner the Misses Maggie Thomas, Jeanie Edwards, Lily Miller, Janet Hayes, Anna Hackett, and Messrs. William Koepeke, Anton Linker and R. T. Uke.

MISS HELGA Jackwitz, 324 South Eleventh street, will entertain the members of the Ibsen club on Friday afternoon.

MRS. EUGENE Stringer and Mrs. B. W. Mast will entertain the members of the Thursday Pioneer Bridge club at the hall on Thursday afternoon.

MRS. C. BATTZ, who has been the guest for several weeks of Mrs. Reinhardt Humboldt, has gone to Chicago for a visit but will return to La Crosse before leaving for her home in the west.

MRS. J. R. WOLFORD, Mrs. A. Fluck and Mrs. O. Stockmeier will entertain the Ladies' Aid society of St. John's Reformed church, Fourth and Market streets, at half past two on Thursday afternoon. All members and friends are cordially invited.

MR. AND MRS. Edward Orcutt, 1717 George street, entertained seven guests at dinner and supper on New Year's day.

The ancient Shinto religion of Japan had no moral precepts, dogmas nor sacred writings.

FOR LUMBAGO

Try Musterole. See How Quickly It Relieves. You just rub Musterole in briskly, and usually the pain is gone—a delicious, soothing comfort comes to take its place. Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Use it instead of mustard plaster. Will not blister. Many doctors and nurses use Musterole and recommend it to their patients. They will gladly tell you what relief it gives from sore throat, bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bitten feet, colds of the chest. Always dependable.



COMING EVENTS

(These dates are taken.) Before deciding upon dates confer with Chamber of Commerce. Phone 76, and avoid conflict.

Jan. 5—La Crosse County Community Council—Regular meeting—Masonic Temple—12:30.

Jan. 17—2:30—Service Star Legion—Y. W. C. A.

Jan. 21—Music Study Club, Allen McGhee, Tenor, La Crosse Theater.

Jan. 26-27-28-29—State Corn and Grain Show.

Feb. 4—Piano Recital: Mlle. Le Claire, Normal School Auditorium, 3:15 P.

Feb. 15—Normal Lecture Course—Mr. Frederick Landis.

Feb. 25—Normal Lecture Course—\$15 Normal School Auditorium—Lecture—John Drinkwater on Abraham Lincoln.

WAR OVER?



CYRENA GORDON

Will American small towns stand for German grand opera now? The Chicago Grand Opera company is preparing for a spring tour to the Pacific coast to find out. Cyrena Gordon, prima donna, hopes that what she terms "barrow prejudice" is gone. "Because the Kaiser started the war is nothing against Wagner, who wrote the finest music in the world."

A. M. PROCTOR, PIONEER OF VERNON CO., DIES

VIROQUA, Wis.—In the passing of Albert M. Proctor, Vernon county loses one of its pioneers of 1862. Mr. Proctor had been a resident of Newton, Mr. Proctor is survived by the wife and five children Mrs. J. McDonald and Mrs. Albert Riek of Stoddard, Mrs. William Ramsey and Mrs. William Rood of Newton and Mrs. Proctor, a brother, Attorney H. J. Proctor resides in this city. The funeral service was conducted at the Newton home by the Rev. E. Harris.

BANK CALL
WASHINGTON.—The comptroller of the currency Wednesday issued a call for the condition of all national banks at the close of business on Wednesday, December 29.

CALCUTTA.—Taxis are very popular here. Reason? Fares are little more than for horse-drawn cabs. Ten years ago there were only 10 taxis in Calcutta. Now there are 1751.

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Zemo the Clean, Antiseptic Liquid, Gives Prompt Relief. There is one safe, dependable treatment that relieves itching torture and that cleanses and soothes the skin. Ask any druggist for a 35c or \$1 bottle of Zemo and apply it as directed. Soon you will find that irritations, pimples, blackheads, eczema, blotches, ringworm and similar skin troubles will disappear. Zemo, the penetrating, satisfying liquid, is all that is needed, for it banishes most skin eruptions, makes the skin soft, smooth and healthy. The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.



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FACTORIES RESUMING OPERATIONS IN WAR REGIONS OF FRANCE

Over Three Thousand Again Running Reports Reconstruction Bureau

PARIS.—Manufacturing industries are rapidly resuming operations in the devastated district. This is shown by a report of the office of industrial reconstruction, which has been investigating the restoration of factories and workshops which, before the war, employed more than 20 workers.

Of the 4,321 establishments in which inquiries have been made, 2,592 have resumed work in whole or in part.

A classification of the various trades concerned shows that 88.4 per cent of metal works are again active; 81.5 of the potteries, stone and brick works; 80.4 per cent of the chemical industries and 70.3 for the textile industries.

The relatively slow rate of progress of the textile factories is said by the bureau to be due to the fact that the looms were deliberately destroyed and it is taking some time to replace the delicate machinery.

These 4,321 establishments employed 778,015 persons in 1914; in November, 1920, they employed 353,392 or 45.7 of their 1914 personnel. While the factories have for the most part been rebuilt much as they were in 1914, the houses which shelter the workers are more wooden huts, although brick shanties are springing up in the districts where bricklaying is practicable.

Thus the proportion of resumption of activity bears no relation to the recovery of the towns and villages, which it will be impossible to rebuild as formerly.

CONFERENCE TO PLAN MEANS TO STABILIZE COSTS OF BUILDING

CHICAGO, Ill.—National leaders of the lumber industry met here Wednesday to consider ways of stabilizing building costs and encourage building construction projects.

The conference was called by Edward Hines of the Hines Lumber company.

"Lumber manufacture is the second largest industry in the country," Mr. Hines said in issuing his call, "but it is practically at a standstill."

"Building must be done if lumber is to be sold. We are five years behind building. Building must be stabilized. Lumber prices are below cost of production."

According to Mr. Hines after activities are begun, prices will be determined by supply and demand.

"M. P. G." IN SPOTLIGHT

New Auto Chatter Means "Miles Per Gallon"

NEW YORK.—M. P. G. has replaced R. P. M. in the vernacular of the auto enthusiast.

R. P. M. stands for "revolutions per minute" conveying an impression of speed, power and smoothness.

M. P. G. means "miles per gallon." M. P. G. will be used often in the selling arguments at the many auto shows scheduled for the first of the year. Here are some of the dates:

Jan. 3 to 8, New York Highway Transportation Show, Twelfth Regiment Armory.

Jan. 8 to 15, New York Passenger Car Show, Grand Central Palace.

Jan. 22 to 29, Cleveland Automobile Show, Wagner-Goldschmidt.

Jan. 24 to 29, Chicago Passenger Car Show, Coliseum.

Jan. 21 to Feb. 5, Erie Automotive Show, New General Electric Building.

Feb. 6 to 12, Tractor Show, Columbus, Ohio State Fair Grounds.

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WIS. ST. PATENTS YOUNG AND YOUNG

City Briefs

Yeoman Hall, Jimmie James and St. Crosse combined Jazz Band, Sat. Su., Dance Tuesday.

Mrs. Herman Meltzer, 1119 South Tenth St. is ill at the St. Francis Hospital.

\$7.50 Ladies' Gray Kid shoes, \$2.95. Mader's big sale.

Mr. George Barrett, and family have returned to Arena, Wis.; after visiting here.

Coffee given by the ladies of the St. James church. Thursday afternoon from 3 to 7 Woodman hall on Rose street.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Heferman of Wilton, are visiting here.

"Sunrise Flour" when ordering.

Mrs. Chas. La Belle and daughter Fern, left for their home in Cass Lake, Minn.; after visiting Mrs. H. J. Roth.

55c Ladies' Rubbers size up to 5. Mader's big sale.

Mrs. H. J. Roth, 2113 Loomis is visiting friends in the Twin Cities.

E. F. U. Installation of officers Wed. Jan. 5th K. P. Hall, refreshments and dancing for members and family.

Walter and Geo. Baum, have resumed their studies at the State "U" after visiting their parents here.

F. E. Withrow has removed his law offices to suite 311, Rivoli Theatre building.

Harry Schultz, of Milwaukee, spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Charles H. Butler, 808 South Fifth street.

"Sunrise Flour"—Ask your grocer.

Mr. H. H. Kuffelson and daughter, Bangor, were visitors here yesterday.

Rohr Bros., painters, paperhangers, decorators, Phone 521-C or 1153-M.

Oliver Gallickson, West Salem transferred business here yesterday.

Men's 4 buckle, all rubber overshoes, \$2.95 at Mader's big sale.

Helen Fletcher, has returned to Miles City after visiting here.

Dr. Thornton, Osteopath, Linker Bldg. by appointment only.

Mauda Halmorast, has returned from Milwaukee.

Patience Hyde lodge, No. 21 will have installation of officers, Thursday Jan. 6th. All members are requested to come. Refreshments will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hamilton have gone to Milwaukee for a visit.

Men's \$13.50 Best Grade Packard dress shoes, \$9.95 at Mader's big sale.

Mrs. D. E. Bise and daughter of 1357 Avon street, have returned from a visit at Virgo.

"Margie" new record hit, plenty at Noelle's.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Yohs, La Crosse, spent New Year's with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Cleary, 2024 Adams street.

55c Ladies' Rubbers at Mader's big sale.

H. F. Johnson has returned to Casper, Wyoming, after visiting at the home of P. J. Kedvany.

Your Plumbing trouble properly attended to W. F. Schrim, Phone 46.

A ten pound baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross.

Freight Transferred to and from depots. No evening service. Gateway City Transfer Co. Phone 179 before 6 p. m.

Ed. Kessler, switchman for the Milwaukee railroad, has been off duty for several days because of sickness.

Underwood typewriters, Phone 148.

W. M. Plumber and W. G. Bohm, of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad are in the city on business.

33 1-3 percent off on all suits and overcoats at Mader's Big Sale.

Ralph Spence, 1453 Kane street has returned to Madison where he is attending the university of Wisconsin.

Benefit dance for Wm. Chihowski, Sat. Jan. 8 at Concordia hall. Let's all go.

December was a comparatively warm month, according to the monthly report of Weather Forecaster E.

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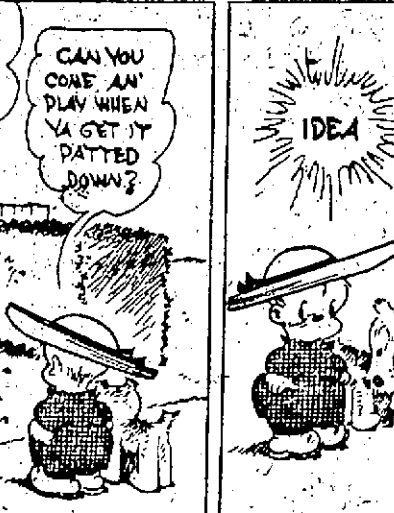
The fountain is made of galvanized iron, and is similar in construction to the fireless cooker, being packed with a non-conducting material to retain the temperature of the water. The drinking cup which contains the only water exposed, forms a connection between the outer and inner can, and does not project beyond the outer can, there being no possible chance for droppings, the cause of much disease, to get into the water. Order now as you will not regret it. Keeps water warm in winter and cool in hottest summer. Capacity two gallons. See display in our 5th St. Window.

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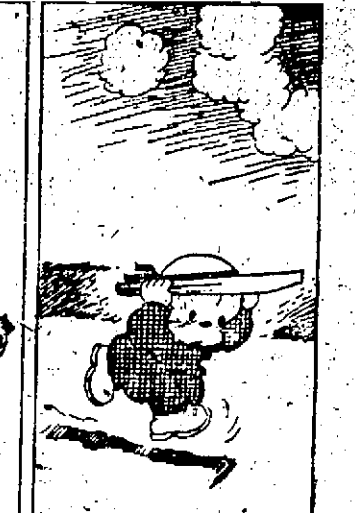
FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



CASEY IS FITTED FOR THE JOB



BY BLOSSER



C. Thompson. The average temperature last month was 25 as compared to 13 in December, 1919, and a normal temperature for 49 years of 22.8. The highest temperature last month was on the 13th, when the thermometer recorded 31 and the coldest on the 28th, when it was 10 below zero.

Degree of Honor cash prize masquerade given Jan. 5 at K. P. Hall. Everybody invited.

A marriage license was issued at Winona to Orville H. Hoarner of Minneapolis and Miss Marie E. Egelberg of La Crosse.

Men's 4 buckle overshoes, \$2.95. Mader's big sale.

A. J. Hazenbald, superintendent of the Dubuque division of the Milwaukee railway, is in the city on official business.

Armory hall, Dance Sunday evening. Mack's orchestra. No dance Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Gullickson of West Salem were in La Crosse on business yesterday.

Osteopathy—Dr. Jorris, Newburg Bg. William Hinderberger of Genoa, and Elsie Cheek of Red Mound, were married in county court Tuesday afternoon by Judge Brindley.

Ladies' Rubbers, 55c, sizes 2 1-2 to 5 only. Mader's big sale.

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AT ITS BEST
The strongest compliment ever paid to Scott's Emulsion is the vain attempts at imitation. Those who take cod-liver oil at its best, take Scott's Emulsion.

HARDING MADE THIRTY-SECOND DEGREE MASON

COLUMBUS, O.—President-elect Harding will be made a thirty-second degree Mason here Wednesday. The initiation, starting at noon, carrying Senator Harding from fourth to thirty-second degrees inclusive, will probably be finished late in the evening.

Quilts originated with the ancient Greeks and are said to have first been played at the Olympic games in 1463 B. C.

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STUDENT WITNESSES TELL OF SHOOTING OF CARL JANDORF

O'Neil Declares that Policeman Struck and Kicked Student Before Shooting

JEFFERSON, Wis.—Two student witnesses, F. E. Wolfe and L. W. Jones, were placed on the stand Wednesday morning at the trial of Patrolman Lynaugh. Their testimony was founded on the fact they were in the group of students which followed Lynaugh as he arrested Lunn.

Wolfe on the stand expressed the opinion that the crowd was larger than 25 as was testified by O'Neil. This testimony is in relation to the size of the crowd which pressed around Lynaugh at the time of the shooting, in determining whether the crowd was a "mob" or orderly gathering.

Miss Esther Burke, coed from Iowa, who saw Jandorf shot down from across the street, will take the stand this afternoon. The morning session was marked by sharp cross-examination by Clancy, attorney for the defense seeking to bring out more in detail as to number of student crowd.

The principal witnesses for the prosecution last Tuesday were Daniel O'Neil and E. J. Pringley, University students. They testified that after Lynaugh had arrested Julian Lunn, a student, following the theft of a bicycle, they were planning an "ice cream social" celebration, when Lynaugh started for the city with Lunn, the policeman turned around and told the crowd to keep back.

"He drew his revolver and waited a moment in his right hand," O'Neil said, "Jandorf touched Lynaugh on the arm and told him that he had arrested the wrong man. Lynaugh struck Jandorf in the face and then kicked at him. Jandorf struck the policeman and then stepped back five or six feet. Lynaugh raised his revolver and taking aim fired. Jandorf fell."

"The policeman turned to the crowd and said: 'Self-defense. Keep back. I have got five left for the next one.'"

"Lunn offered no resistance but went with the officer. A small crowd followed. No threats were made against Lynaugh. Two men picked Jandorf up and carried him to the university clinic."

Dr. E. W. Gill, Marlison, testified that the bullet that killed Jandorf pierced the heart and came out of the back. He further testified that a mark on the left side of Jandorf's head, another between the eyes and a third on the right side of the forehead indicated that Jandorf had been struck several times.

GERMANY NOT READY TO RESUME PARLEY UPON REPARATIONS

PARIS.—The French government Wednesday received notice that the German delegation was not ready to resume the reparations conference at Brussels on January 10, as had been agreed upon before the adjournment of the conference last month.

A Paris dispatch Tuesday night said it was considered probable the conference would be delayed until after the conference of the allied plenipotentiaries to be held in Paris toward the end of January when the report of Marshal Foch on German disarmament and the question of German reparations is to be considered.

OVER TWO MILLION REPORTED OUT OF WORK IN THE U. S.

WASHINGTON.—A total of 2,225,000 workers are out of employment in the country, according to a survey of the industrial situation made by C. I. C. Houston for the current issue of Labor, official organ of the United Mine Workers. Mr. Houston asserts that the survey disclosed the greatest industrial slump since the money panic of 1914. The larger groups of unemployed by industries given by the survey are: Building trades, 300,000; automobiles, 250,000; textiles, 225,000; clothing, 150,000; railroads, 200,000; steel and iron, 100,000; shipbuilding, 135,000; food products, 100,000; amusements, 50,000; metal mining, 2,000; shipbuilding, 50,000; rubber, 50,000; shoes and leather, 20,000; printing, 20,000; casual labor, 50,000.

VIROQUA AT WORK ON 1920 TOBACCO CROP

VIROQUA, Wis.—The Viroqua tobacco warehouse will open on Monday, for the sorting and packing of the 1920 crop of tobacco, which is an unusually large one. The warehouse has been in operation for three weeks. It is expected the run will be a long one; but the help situation is much improved over last year.

F. P. HIXON GIVES SIX FINE WORKS OF ART TO HIGH SCHOOL

(Continued from page one)
promised some of your teachers at the time that if I found a desirable picture I would purchase it and give it to the school. I then found, on looking over the spaces, that one painting would not be adequate for the walls and corridors, and that only a group of pictures would answer the purpose, and only such pictures as were designed by artists of unquestionable merit whose work has stood the test of time, should be used to decorate the walls of our high school.

"My idea is, for each class to donate one picture before they graduate. The freshman class has set the example, with all other classes should follow. Some competent judges should name five or six pictures, all good, so there would be no chance of getting poor pictures, and for each member of the class vote on his choice of a picture."

MRS. SIMONES LEADER IN FASHION NUMBER OF MINSTREL SHOW

Good progress is being made in bringing the K. of C. Minstrel Show of 1921, at the La Crosse theater, January 11 and 12, to perfection. All of the members of the cast have been working hard and enthusiastically. The person taking part in the great fashion number were announced today by R. Gerber, the coach. The soloist is Mrs. V. E. Simones. Mrs. Simones has appeared in many musical numbers and is recognized as one of the ablest singers of the city.

The chorus to this number consists of Elizabeth Conklin, Dorothy Bremer, Fay Keger, Emma Bogardus, Marie Reilly, Loretta Dore, Delphine Schomberg, Helen Groves, Bernice Webster, Isabelle Gerard, Katherine Jacques and Adeline Byrnes.

The fashion number is going to be one of the main numbers of the minstrel show. The illuminations and electrical effects are said to be particularly fine.

LABOR COMMITTEE ON BUILDING WILL MEET THIS EVENING

The building committee of the Trades and Labor Council and the Building Trades council meets tonight at 8 o'clock to discuss the plan for the purchase of Yeoman hall.

R. G. Knudson, of the committee, says the meeting is not restricted to members of the committee but may be attended by any union man in the city.

ATLANTIC FLEET READY TO JOIN PACIFIC SHIPS

WASHINGTON.—Forty-eight vessels of the Atlantic fleet mobilized off the Virginia Capes Wednesday prepared to sail before night to join the Pacific fleet at Panama Bay about January 17 for joint maneuvers.

Later the two fleets will cruise down the western coast of South America, returning north in the spring.

Obituary

MRS. MINNIE MILLER
Mrs. Minnie Miller, 66 years old, resident of Alma Center, Wis., and sister of Mrs. E. Frankiger and Mrs. R. Rasmussen of La Crosse, died at a local hospital Tuesday. The body was taken to Alma Center, where funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon, with interment at the Alma Center cemetery.

MRS. DUDLEY G. PHELPS
At seven o'clock this morning Mrs. Dudley G. Phelps died at her home, 609 1-2 La Crosse street, at the age of seventy-two years. Mrs. Phelps was born at Prairie du Chien of French descent her parents, locating some time before in the French settlement. When a child, the family moved to Trempealeau, where they were pioneer settlers. Her husband is a veteran of the civil war. The funeral will be conducted on Friday by Dr. Edwin C. Dixon, the announcement to be made later.

FORD GAINS ON RECOUNT
WASHINGTON.—Net gains of 58 votes for Henry Ford's total, as recited in the 1918 election, and net losses of 158 votes for Senator Newberry, whose seat Mr. Ford is contesting, resulted from Wednesday's work in recount under way before a senate committee.

In Adams county the committee threw out the entire vote of two precincts, where election judges had failed to initial returns as required by law.

MANHATTAN, Kan.—J. A. Coleman of Manhattan, is displaying \$5 pearls varying in size, which he declared he found in a single oyster shell purchased at a local market.

AT LA CROSSE HOTELS

At the American—Robert L. Graves, Viroqua, Wis.; Sumner Poide, Perryville, Wis.; Harold F. Dean, Viroqua, Wis.; Emanuel Johnson, Perryville, Wis.; Willis Kinney, Canton, Minn.; John M. Johnson, Oshkosh, Wis.; J. F. Wagner, Wausau, Minn.
At the Jackson—Wm. Doehrer, Lansing, Ia.; F. D. Meyer, St. James, Minn.; R. B. Gillette, Geneva, Wis.; M. A. Barton, Sparta, Wis.; Charles Johnson, Westby, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. A. Bostwick, Spring Valley, Minn.; G. J. Swain, Westby, Wis.; Olga L. Reque, Fairmont, Minn.; Mrs. S. B. Reque, Westby, Wis.; J. P. Arnsdorf, Dubuque, Ia.; F. P. Frank, Burlington, Wis.; M. W. Lebeck, St. Paul, Minn.; J. N. Knapp, LaPorte, Wis.; Clyde C. Nozick, Prairie du Chien, Wis.; Charles Beckwith, Richland Center; A. W. DeGraham, Ia.; A. N. Simonson, Mrs. Mabel Simonson and Miss Florence Lind, Viroqua, Wis.; Edna Wiegand, J. H. Thomas and M. J. Peterson, Whalan, Minn.; Frank Yeager, Tomah, Wis.; Maurice Ertstad, Chasaburg, Wis.; Mrs. W. P. Flemming and James Flemming, Viroqua, Wis.

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SENATE VOTES TO SPEND \$50,000 ON HARDING INAUGURAL

Rejects Amendment to Reduce Appropriation to Ten Thousand Dollars

WASHINGTON.—A resolution appropriating \$50,000 for expenses at the capitol in connection with the inauguration of President-elect Harding was adopted Wednesday by the senate after another clash over economy. An amendment by Senator Norris, republican, Nebraska, to reduce the appropriation to \$10,000 was rejected, 43 to 8.

A bill introduced by Senator McCumber, republican, North Dakota, proposed \$1,000 daily fines for extortion in charges for rooms, meals, grandstand seats and other inaugural accommodations. Declaring that it was proposed to provide special police for pickpockets, Senator McCumber asked protection against "the big tobacco." Some hotels, he said, were charging \$100 a day for rooms.

PROBE HIGH PRICES PAID BY ARMY FOR ITS COAL SUPPLY

WASHINGTON.—High prices the army paid for its coal last summer were inquired into again Wednesday by the senate committee on reconstruction. Lieut. Col. James B. Barney, in charge of coal purchases described difficulties in obtaining supplies.

Only three bids for 7,500 tons were received, he said, when the department advertised for a million tons for the eastern departments last July. The prices ranged from \$4.50 to \$6.50 a ton and since bidders had offered to supply coal in the west and on the Pacific coast for as little as \$2.70 a ton, the eastern bids were rejected.

Commandeering of coal for the army's use was considered, the witness declared, but was disapproved by Secretary Parker, who held that this would cause local scarcity and further disturb prices for the general public.

CAME TO TESTIFY IN IRISH INQUIRY CLAIMS OFFICIAL

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probable that no distinction would be drawn between his case and that of any other stowaway.

Attacking Party Killed
LONDON.—Sixteen members of a party that waylaid a detachment of troops at Meelin, Northwest county Cork, were killed by the soldiers attached, says a Dublin dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company Wednesday. None of the troops was injured.

This is the first time it is declared, that an ambush on a large scale has been effectually beaten. The ambush, according to the Evening News from Cork, occurred in a secluded roadway outside the village of Meelin. Three military lorries were coming from Mallow when a bomb was thrown at the leading vehicle. The bomb missed its mark. Revolver fire was then opened on the lorries, which halted while the troops poured rifle fire into both sides of the road.

Aided by a smoke screen, continued the account, the troops made a sortie and rounded up all the attacking party, killing sixteen of them and capturing the remainder with all their guns, rifles and ammunition.

Arrest Sinn Feiner
LONDON.—James J. Walsh, a Sinn Fein member of parliament from Cork, who escaped from Mount Joy prison, Dublin, eighteen months ago, was arrested Wednesday, a dispatch says. He had avoided attempts to arrest him since gaining his liberty, although, as alderman of Cork, he had attended his civic duties regularly.

Deny Report of Killing
DUBLIN.—General headquarters denied a report that sixteen Sinn Feiners were killed when a detachment of troops was ambushed near Kinturk.

CARD OF THANKS
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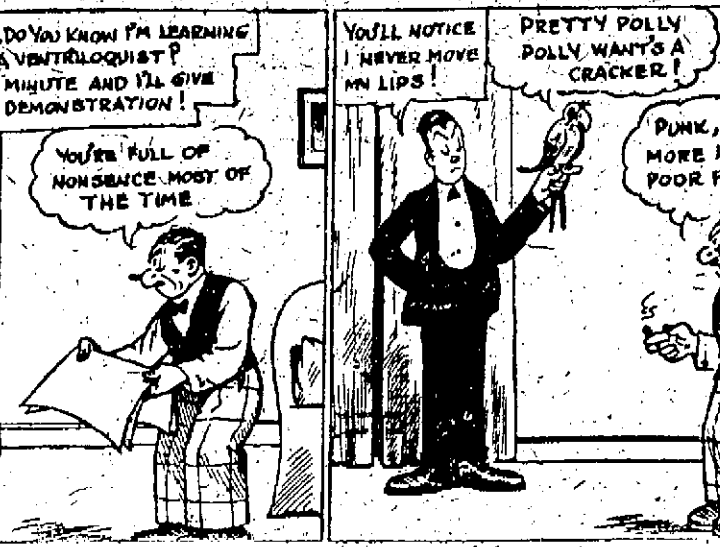
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32 HORSES ARRIVE JANUARY 15TH FOR USE OF BATTERY D.

Capt. J. A. Pickering, Instructor or Inspector for Wisconsin, Makes Headquarters Here

Thirty-two horses will arrive in La Crosse for the use of Battery D, Wisconsin National Guard, according to Capt. Rheinhold Schuit, on Monday a carload of equipment for the battery was received and is now at the armory.

Capt. J. A. Pickering and his family, arrived in the city yesterday from Fort Snell. They will make their home in this city. Capt. Pickering has been appointed instructor of the field artillery of the Wisconsin National Guard with headquarters in La Crosse. Capt. Pickering was an instructor in the field artillery school in Treves, Germany, after the signing of the armistice.

DETROIT BANK ROBBED
DETROIT, Mich.—Three armed bandits Wednesday locked the manager and clerk of the West Side branch of the Michigan State bank of Detroit in the vault and escaped with \$18,000.

BADGERS TO FORM CO-OP LIVESTOCK SHIPPING AGENCY

OSHKOSH, Wis.—Representatives of the Wisconsin branch of the American Society of Equity, in session here Wednesday, decided to form a federation of co-operative shipping agencies of livestock. About seventy-five were present from various parts of the state and final action was to be taken later in the afternoon. A committee was named to prepare a plan for federating, the idea being to have representatives at the stock market terminals, thus eliminating the paying of brokerage to livestock corporations.

Cattalo Steaks From Canada
Canada is preparing to take care of the meat demand by supplying something which will be in the nature of a novelty on the table. This is Cattalo steaks which are cut from an animal which is a cross between the buffalo and the cow. This meat is very desirable in every way and they are being raised in great numbers in Canada.

Measure by Smokes
In the famous Tolima tobacco region of the Andes everybody gives distances by means of "tobaccoes" or so many smokes of cigars.—Galesville Republican.

BY ALLMAN



LOW PRICES MEAN BANKRUPTCY CLAIM TOBACCO OWNERS

Markets Remain Closed Pending Outcome of Friday Mass Meeting

LEXINGTON, Ky.—Following the closing Tuesday of the Lexington and other Kentucky tobacco markets because of low prices offered by buyers, tobacco men in central Kentucky district awaited the outcome of meetings in every county in the district Thursday and the general mass meeting of representatives of growers, bankers and warehousemen here Friday.

A few minor markets were to open Wednesday while the larger ones suspended sales with the agreement that they would stay closed for a week. Tobacco farmers declared that to accept the low prices offered would mean bankruptcy.

Efforts are being made to induce every market in the district to close and the proposal has been made by some prominent growers that the sale of the 1920 crop be postponed until May. In this way, they believe, farmers can be induced to reduce or cut out the 1921 crop and thus compel manufacturers to pay higher prices for the leaf already gathered.

REO PLANT REOPENED

LANSING, Mich.—The Reo Motor Car company has resumed operations after a week's shut-down for inventory. The entire force of 5200 men are working on half time. The Olds Motors company here also is operating on a part time basis.

It took 900 cars of coal to operate for 84 days the 45,000-kilowatt steam turbine at Providence, R. I.

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PROSECUTION TO SHOW INTENT OF POLICEMAN TO KILL "U" STUDENT

"He Got What He Deserved" are Words Attributed to Lynaugh After Shooting

JEFFERSON, Wis.—"He got what he deserved!"

These words, attributed to Matthew J. Lynaugh, by the prosecution in the trial of Lynaugh on a charge of murder, were declared by Assistant Attorney General John S. Baker to be the proof on which the state will rely in its assertion that Lynaugh deliberately intended to kill the student, Carl Jandorf, whom the policeman shot when Jandorf interfered with him while conducting another student under arrest.

"These words were uttered at the time of the shooting," said the prosecutor in addressing the jury, "and they show that the fatal shot was not an accident."

Calls Arrest Illegal

Mr. Baker indicated that the state will attempt to prove that the arrest of Jandorf was illegal. In whose behalf Jandorf interfered, was illegal and that Lynaugh killed and struck Jandorf before shooting him.

Mr. Baker asserted that a number of freshmen were excused from military drill on the afternoon of May 28 in order to allow them to collect fuel for a campus fire in which the first year men were to burn their caps. He stated that this showed that the practice was recognized by the university.

Attorney Baker asserted that Lynaugh was angry and said "It's a good thing I didn't get a shot at you," after he had taken Lynaugh.

Officer Not in Danger

"At no time was the officer in danger of bodily harm," Mr. Baker continued. "We will show that the crowd was made up of people anxious to see what was going on and that the crowd up to the time of the shooting did not exceed fifty people. We will show that Lynaugh asserted that he would use his gun in self-defense, that he was angry and that he exceeded the bounds of reason."

The prosecution called as the first witnesses Dr. W. W. Gill, former member of Madison police and fire commission, and Chief of Police Thomas Shaugnessy.

Eight Farmers on Jury

The jury was completed on Tuesday. Eight of the twelve men are farmers. They are L. J. Auerbach, telephone manager at Home; George Cook, farmer, Watertown; William Moll, farmer, Jefferson; John Koller, soda water manufacturer, Watertown; W. E. Wagner, farmer, Oakland; Leonard Williams, highway patrolman, Palmyra; T. W. Jones, farmer, Dodge; Ed Finn, farmer, Keshonong; Sam Heine, saloon keeper, Johnson Creek; Charles Stever, farmer, Jefferson; Ed Wollin, farmer, Milford; William Jones, farmer, Jefferson.



THE FAMOUS QUINTET FROM RALPH DUNBAR'S "CARMEN"
Scene from "Carmen," La Crosse Theatre, January 3, matinee and night.

U. S. OFFICER BACK FROM RUSSIA WITH ADOPTED CHILDREN

Rear Admiral McCully to Educate and Care for Ten Russian Orphans

NEW YORK.—Abram I. Elkus, former ambassador to Turkey, returned Tuesday on the steamship La Lorraine from Europe after sitting with the Aland Islands commission of the league of nations at Stockholm.

The commission was appointed to decide the future status of the Aland Islands, as between the claims of Sweden and Finland.

Rear Admiral Newton A. McCully, who has been serving as American high commissioner at Sebastopol, arrived Tuesday on the collier Ramapo. He brought seven Russian children whom he adopted.

Three other Russian children are to come to America later for adoption.

tion by the admiral. He is a bachelor. His niece, in charge of his Washington home, will help him care for the children.

Admiral McCully's youngsters are all "Russian blue bloods." He declared, explaining that he looked up their pedigrees. He is ready to give them his name, educate them and make them his heirs.

Wheedling a Lion

Lions are not tempted, like other animals, to strict obedience to their trainer's commands by the offer of luscious foods. Practically every animal but the lion is taught to do what is wanted by giving it a reward every time it does it or makes an effort to, either a lump of sugar or a vegetable or a bit of fish or some other thing of which it is fond. This is impossible with the lion, as it eats only meat and is only allowed a certain amount of that. This increases the difficulty of the lion tamer.

Death to Him!

The American culture that lives on carrion is immune against all disease germs and is believed to be instrumental in spreading the bubonic plague.

SHOOTING OF MAN SLIPPED HER MIND DECLARES WOMAN

Body Hidden Under Bed for Two Days She Tells the Police

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—A woman, giving the name of Lillian McGill, told the police she killed a man Sunday night, hid the body under the bed and forgot about it until Tuesday when she started to sweep her room. Patrolmen found the unclothed body of a man in the position the woman had described.

In a written statement the woman said she knew the man only as "Frank" and that he told her he was employed in a saloon. He struck her, she said, and she shot him three times in the head.

She added that she had been in a dazed condition for the last two days and insisted that she forgot about the killing until today.

Doused, as it Were

No man can carry water on both shoulders and make much headway. He gets cold water thrown on him from all angles and acquires the appearance of a drowned rat.

Victory Over Misfortune

Happy is the man who can endure the highest and the lowest fortune. He who has endured such vicissitudes with equanimity has deprived misfortune of its power.—Seneca.

FAIR TONNAGE TAX ON IRON ORE URGED BY GOPHER GOVERNOR

J. A. O. Preus Installed in Office Wednesday as New Minnesota Executive

ST. PAUL, Minn.—Gov. J. A. O. Preus in his inaugural address Wednesday before a joint session of the Minnesota legislature urged a "fair" tonnage tax on iron ore, election reform, co-operative marketing of farm products and better roads.

Since 1897 iron mining, which is the second industry in the state, the governor said, has been assessed on an ad valorem basis. A net profits tax in lieu of all other state taxes upon the property was advocated by the governor. He urged that the ad valorem method of taxation be retained however, for local purposes because otherwise "municipalities which have no income from industries other than mining would be ruinously affected."

The state primary election law, the governor declared defective, and he urged a return to party designation in the state legislature and the convention system for party nominations, "safeguarded at its source by requiring delegates to be elected by the primary method."

Organization of local and terminal co-operative selling agencies was urged as a solution of the marketing problem.

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MONROE BAR NAMES M'CAUL PRESIDENT

Tomah Light Company Gets Rate Increase; Sheriff Smith to be Milwaukee Detective

TOMAH, Wis.—Attorney W. R. McCaul of Tomah was chosen president of the Monroe County Bar association at the annual meeting held at Sparta. Richards presided at the meeting and banquet.

Charles Smith of Tomah, retiring sheriff of Monroe county, has made an enviable record during his term of office and has been asked to serve as private detective for the Milwaukee railroad. He has accepted the position and will have his headquarters at Winona.

There are but three new faces at the Monroe county court house among the recently elected county officials: Alex Nichol succeeds Ole Jackson, who has served as county clerk for the past ten years; William Gleiss succeeds T. P. Abel as district attorney after twelve years of service, and Charles Torrance supplants Charles Smith as sheriff.

The Tomah Light and Power company has succeeded in its efforts to get an increase in rates, although the rate granted by the railroad commission was much less than asked for. The primary rate has been raised to 18c from 15c and the minimum rate from 75 cents to \$1.25 a month. The company asked for a rate of 25c.

After three years of service as assistant secretary of state under Merline Hull, W. W. Taylor, attorney of Tomah, has declined reappointment under the new administration, and has resumed the practice of law in his home city with the old law firm of Naylor & McCaul.

SALE OF MALT AND HOPS ILLEGAL SAYS WASHINGTON RULING

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—A ruling received from Washington, which says in effect that the sale of malt and hops together warrants the belief that the purchaser intends to make beer, and that the sale therefore, is unlawful, was received Tuesday by Milwaukee prohibition officials.

It also stated that the advertising of malt and hops was illegal. The enclosure in package of malt or hops of a recipe for making beer likewise was put under the ban.

CAMDEN, N. J.—Frank James, convicted of killing David Paul, Camden bank messenger, learned he would be sentenced on February 14 to death in an electric chair. Judge Katzenbach set the date of sentence.

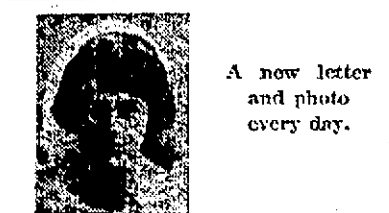
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FRIENDS GROOMING HULL FOR INTERNAL REVENUE OFFICE

MADISON, Wis.—A movement has been started among some of the friends of Former Secretary Merline Hull, advancing him as candidate for internal revenue commissioner of Wisconsin. It is understood that some of Mr. Hull's friends have circulated petitions and letters urging that he be appointed to this position. Mr. Hull when asked regarding the matter Wednesday said that he was not a candidate for the position but left the impression that if the office were tendered him he would accept. Hull has just completed a term of four years as secretary of state. It is understood that some of the women's organizations of the state are backing Mr. Hull for the position.

NEWPORT NEWS, Va.—Two men identifying themselves as Peter J. MacSwiney, brother of the late lord mayor of Cork, and Daniel O'Callaghan, present lord mayor of Cork, arrived as stowaways on the American steamship West Cannon from an Irish port.



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SEEK BRIDE WHO DISAPPEARED ON EYE OF WEDDING

CLINTON, Iowa.—Relatives are awaiting word concerning the whereabouts of Miss Celeste Lamb and Robert S. Smith, Jr., who disappeared Tuesday on the eve of Miss Lamb's announced wedding to Ensign Harold Holcomb of Pasadena, Cal., which was to have taken place Tuesday night. Ensign Holcomb, three days after the wedding, has departed for his home.

The wedding had originally been planned to take place on the island of Guam in mid-Pacific last summer. It was postponed and announced as a holiday week event in Clinton. On the eve of that date it was announced that Miss Lamb had become seriously ill and the marriage was again postponed.

FEDERAL OFFICERS SUED FOR DEATH OF ITALIAN RADICAL

NEW YORK.—The Italian character of labor rounded Wednesday that a \$100,000 damage suit had been filed here in state supreme court against Attorney General Palmer and four other officials of the department of justice in connection with the death of Andrea Salsedo, who jumped fourteen stories to his death last May while under detention at department headquarters here in connection with the bomb outrage of June 1919.

The suit was brought by Salsedo's widow. It was charged that Salsedo had been beaten, tortured and "starved mentally and physically" and that he had lost his mind and become suicidally despondent.

CARMEN IS FINE PRODUCTION. Among the number of telegram and news notices that Mr. Koppleberger, Mgr. of the La Crosse Theatre has received in regards to the opera "Carmen" was one from Mrs. Gostwick of the Grand opera house of Eau Claire as follows: "Your patrons will congratulate you for looking Carmen as it is a very fine attraction. Lorna Doone Jackson and James Stevens made a big hit here; whole company is fine as is the symphonic orchestra, costumes and scenic effects."

By reports and telegrams like the above the people of La Crosse are assured of a treat when Carmen comes here next Saturday January 8 for matinee and night performances.

NON-PARTISAN LEAGUE COMMANDS 28 VOTES IN GOPHER ASSEMBLY

ST. PAUL, Minn.—Permanent organization of the Minnesota legislature Tuesday disclosed the so-called labor-Nonpartisan strength of the house as twenty-eight votes.

ANTI-LEAGUER IS SPEAKER OF NORTH DAKOTA LEGISLATURE

BISMARCK, N. D.—Representative L. J. Twitchell of Fargo, aligned with the independent faction, was elected speaker of the North Dakota house of representatives Tuesday.

CONSTANTINE URGES NEED OF KEEPING TROOPS IN SMYRNA

ATHENS.—Among the matters to be discussed by King Constantine in the speech from the throne before parliament Wednesday will be the necessity of raising money to keep the army at Smyrna until the Turkish question is settled, maintenance of friendly relations with the allies, execution of the Serres treaty, and internal harmony. Because of the king's illness it is probable his address will be read by Premier Rallis.

St. Peter's at Rome is regarded as the world's most magnificent cathedral.

Turn Purple No woman is so color blind that she can't notice a rival turning green with envy.—Cartoons Magazine.



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CALIFORNIA BEARS RANKED WITH BEST TEAMS IN COUNTRY

Defeat of Buckeyes by Forward
Passes Proves Revelation
to Eastern Critics

COACH WILCE AND HIS MEN
DECLARE "BETTER TEAM WON"

May Attempt to Bring California
to East Coast Next Year

NEW YORK.—As one of its first real acts, the infant 1922 Olympic California team, with the rolling round of the new year, rolled into the ranks of the football great, a twin infant.

California, by her decisive defeat of Ohio State, takes a place with Princeton, Penn State, Pittsburgh and Notre Dame as the very best teams of the season.

To the east, in its broadest geographical application, the defeat of the Buckeye team was a distinct surprise. The weapon used in the downfall of the western conference champions was a revelation.

Outside of Coach Jack Wilce, and his squad, perhaps no one expected California to steal Ohio's favorite weapon—the forward pass—and show them how it should be done.

Wilce told the writer recently here that Ohio wasn't going to be fooled into believing that California's offense was all built around a "tank."

Knows Forward Pass
"Andy Smith knows as much as anyone about the forward pass. He's not fooling us when he says he's going to go against a new game," he said.

If Ohio was expecting an air attack, all the more credit is due California, for the coast team had a perfect defense against State's force and the Buckeyes were helpless before the long passes of the accurate Brick Muller.

True, Ohio State did lose by some breaks. Two fumbles in the first period started the California machine. But fumbling is not first class football.

Ohio seemed not only to be tied when it came to stopping the pass but the line showed weak at the ends.

There are a flock of stock alibis, the hot weather, the long trip, the strange food, the anti-climax, etc. But the most pleasant post-occurrence was the statement of Coach Wilce and his men that the "better team won."

Better Team Won
Seeing the game in type, the east is convinced that the better team did win and the east is not showing its usual reticence in recognizing a superior.

It's a good thing for football, opinion seems agreed. State loses prestige of course, but she still the conference champion. California wins added laurels and shows that the game has developed out the coast in step with the eastern game.

Since there are going to be an annual number of inter-sectional games next fall, the east is hoping that California can be brought to the Atlantic coast next season, not to get the team away from its home territory, but to give the east a chance to see what has proved to be one of the very best teams.

ICE HOCKEY

(By W. J. Wittich, Director, School of Physical Education, Normal School)

Article No. 4—The Game
Handling and shooting the puck is another very important feature of the game and proficiency in this art requires more conscientious effort than almost any other department of the game.

While advancing or carrying the puck down the field a player must be able to dodge and turn without concentrating too much of his attention on the puck. This requires considerable practice and can be done by laying several obstacles in the path of the advance and then by means of the stick advancing or showing the puck around and around and between these obstacles. This should be practiced until the player can advance the puck without watching it, for when playing the game his entire attention must be centered on his opponents rather than the puck.

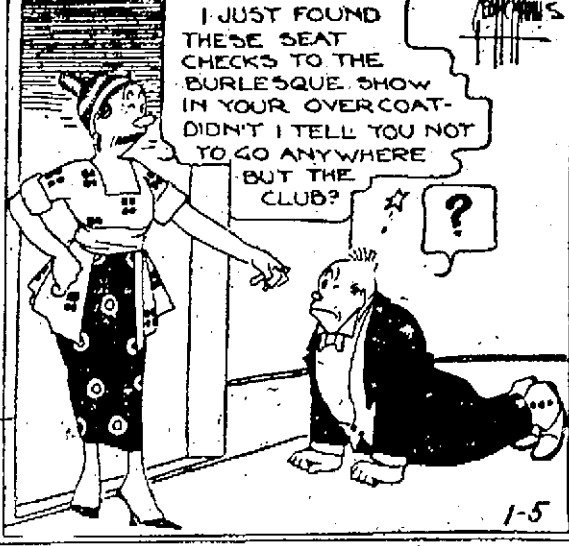
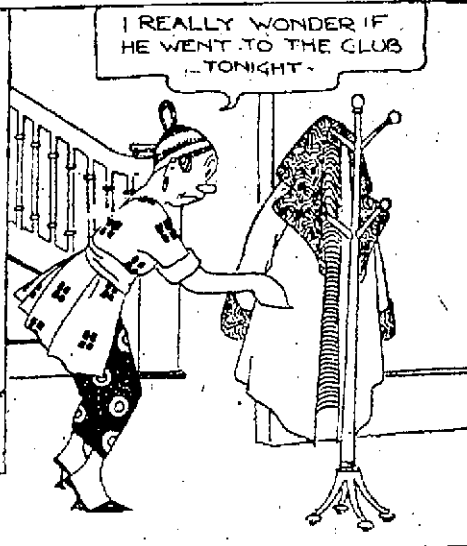
Turning from side to side and evading an opponent can be practiced by skating in a large figure eight when necessary a change of direction whenever a new loop is begun.

Some players are quite expert in advancing the puck without training and dodging, but skate in a straight line and dodging poorly by stick work. Their body proceeds in a straight line and they evade their opponent by zig-zagging the puck down the ice by changing its direction with their sticks. This method, though used effectively by some experts, is easier for the defense man to check than the first method. Both, however, when used, form a fine combination for the offense men.

Raising and shooting the puck is a rather difficult thing to explain and requires persistent practice and effort for its mastery. In order to shoot the puck the stick must be held with either the right or the left hand a little below the middle. With the right hand down, the left face of the heel of the stick is placed against the puck and as the puck is shoved forward the place of the stick is drawn in. This imparts to the puck not only the forward motion, but also a gyroscopic twisting motion as it shoots through the air. Bear in mind that this can be practiced on any level, smooth surface, such as a concrete or wooden floor.

Another article will appear tomorrow.

BRINGING UP FAT HER



STATE NORMAL ATHLETICS ORGANIZED ON THE BASIS OF BIG TEN CONFERENCE

Conference of Athletic Directors Votes to Abolish Championship Games; Traditional Northern and Southern Sections No Longer Exist

Perhaps one of the most important actions relative to Wisconsin state normal school athletics was taken by the athletic directors in their conference at Madison shortly before the holiday vacation when it was voted to abolish championship games among the normal schools of the state. Several changes were made in the conference rules outside of the championship games abolition.

With the abolition of the championship games as a means of deciding the winning school in the conference in any of the athletics, comes the system used in the Big Ten conference. In football each school will be required to play four games with other conference schools, irrespective of which section, as divided by the former system, the school happens to be in. In basketball the same rule will apply except that three sets of two games each must be played with other schools.

The traditional northern and southern sections in the normal school conference no longer exist as far as athletics are concerned.

At the meeting of the directors in Madison the basketball schedule for the current season was drafted and is as follows:

January 7, Eau Claire at La Crosse.
January 14, River Falls at La Crosse.
January 21, Platteville at Platteville.
January 22, Whitewater at Whitewater.
January 25, Whitewater at La Crosse.
February 4, Stout at Menominee.
February 5, Eau Claire at Eau Claire.
February 11, River Falls at River Falls.
February 19, Stout at La Crosse.
February 25, Platteville at La Crosse.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Minnesota's disastrous 1920 football season, when it lost its six "Big Ten" games, was without parallel in the athletic records reveals.

Dr. H. L. Williams has coached Minnesota at football for twenty-one years, including the season just closed, and in that time Minnesota eleven have played 162 games, winning 128, losing 20 and tying 6. This is a percentage of 81.5.

In that time, Minnesota scored 4,401 points to her opponents 893, and in one year, 1904, her season's counted 146 points in a game with Grinnell (Iowa) college, which was held scoreless. This is the Gopher high mark for a single game in 21 years.

Up to 1920, only four times had teams scored more than 20 points on a Gopher eleven, and the worst beating Minnesota ever received was at the hands of Chicago in 1908, when the final count was 29 to 0. No other team has scored that many points against the Gophers.

In the season just closed, two teams counted more than 20 points against Minnesota, Iowa led with 28 points, and Indiana got over with 21 points.

PINEHURST SHOOT BEGINS THE SEASON

More Than 200 Shooters Are Expected to Blaze Away for \$13,000 in Prizes

BY PETER P. CARNERY
Editor National Sports Syndicate
The Pinehurst trapshooting tournament will open the 1922 trapshooting season, just as it has inaugurated the trapshooting season for the past dozen years. This will be the 14th annual Pinehurst tournament. The dates are January 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22. The first Pinehurst tournament attracted 28 shooters. Last year there were 220 at the North Carolina resort.

Leonard Tutts does the best he can to promote high class sporting events for Pinehurst, and nothing has helped him so much as the trapshooting tournament. It put Pinehurst on the map. Thirteen thousand dollars in trophies and cash will be given in this shoot—which is more money than is given for any other sporting event held in the United States, or the world. Three hundred and fifty dollars and a trophy will go to the winner of the midwinter handicap, the big event of the week, and \$150 and a trophy to the winner of the preliminary handicap.

Besides the events which have made up the program in the past, including the East vs. West team race which was on last year—there will be an additional event in which the winners of previous midwinter handicaps are eligible. This will be a 200 target event running through the two big handicaps.

Here are the men who are eligible, with other statistics of the Pinehurst tournaments of the past:

Year	Shooter	Entries	Score	Yds.
1908	C. W. Billings	39	20	18
1909	H. T. Edwards	48	92	18
1910	D. L. Culver	33	54	18
1911	C. R. Newcomb	30	33	20
1912	H. W. Kahler	21	75	21
1913	J. E. Jennings	30	95	20
1914	C. H. Newcomb	98	95	20
1915	S. A. Hendley	75	93	20
1916	W. G. Ramsey	72	95	20
1917	W. G. Ramsey	176	97	21
1918	A. R. Huxley	126	95	19
1919	A. A. Wetland	181	95	21
1920	D. W. Baker	210	96	18

POSSIBILITY OF HARVARD-ILLINOIS GAME IS DENIED

Officials of Either Have Not Expressed a Desire to Stage Game

URBANA, Ill.—The possibility of a football game between Harvard and Illinois has been denied by George Huff, director of athletics at the University of Illinois. Huff, however, dampened the hopes of football followers for an inter-sectional game when he announced that neither Illinois nor Harvard officials had expressed any desire for a contest next year and that it is unlikely that it will be done. Huff looks that Illinois' schedule with western conference teams for next year will tax the team to its limit and another game would work a hardship upon the team, besides lessening its chances for the championship.

MILWAUKEE ALLEY STARS SET NEW PONY RECORDS

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—All world's pony records as far as the records show, were smashed by the Effertz and Leverenz team of the Olympic league, Monday night, when this team rolled a total of 3,672. The team also broke the single game mark with a score of 1,318 in their second game. The former record for high game was held by the Wichitas. The old Six Shooters held the high team record with a score over 3,500. The score rolled by the Effertz and Leverenz team follows:

Behling	182	235	150
Bair	184	255	198
Bomers	223	183	178
Hensler	224	192	180
Schell	245	227	226
Wetbaum	210	214	178
Totals	1253	1318	1319

URBANA, Ill.—Pitchers and catchers have been ordered to report for practice at the University of Illinois. Illinois has a schedule of eight games with southern universities on the spring training trip.

NEW YORK.—Fifteen dollars maximum admission for championship boxing contests in New York state and \$10 for ordinary bouts was ordered by state boxing commission.

Earthworms have no eyes, but the entire forepart of their body is sensitive to light.

BETTER SHOOTING NETS PURPLE WIN OVER WISCONSIN

Badger Team Controls Ball With Fast and Short Passing. Game; Score 13-12

CHICAGO, Ill.—Northwestern university opened its new basketball floor in Patten gymnasium with a thrilling defeat of Wisconsin in a closing minutes by a 13 to 12 score. Long baskets that brought the crowd of 4,000 to their feet gave the Purple the victory.

That Wisconsin might have won had its basket shooters had an eye for the ring was evident after the first few minutes, but the Badgers missed countless easy shots after beautiful floor play worked the fall under the net.

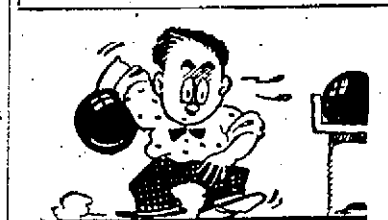
Dr. Meanwell, the returning Wisconsin coach, showed a team that had all the peculiarities of style that made him the wizard of the conference several years ago, except in his players' mechanical ability to sink shots.

Badgers Dominate Floor
The Badgers controlled the ball throughout the game, using a fast, short passing game, from a running triangular formation and baffled Northwestern's defense by using a bounce pass from man to man, instead of the usual direct pass.

Northwestern led 10 to 9, at the half, due to long, pretty shots by Palmer, Saunders and Paterson. One basket was all either team could make in the second half. McKenzic tied the score for Northwestern with four minutes to play, after Caesar's finger had put the Badgers ahead, and Palmer's free throw a few seconds later was decisive.

Jet occurs in irregular masses in hard shale known as jet rock.

ELKS' BOWLING LEAGUE



Members of the Elks league resumed the play at the Lotus alleys Tuesday night when the Antlers won three straight from the Badgers and the Moonshiners took three by forfeit from the Snoozers.

Frisch, rolling a single score of 222, was high total man for the Antlers, while Thompson topped the Badgers with 466. The standings are as follows:

Antlers	157	295	172
Ericksen	111	206	144
Frisch	119	252	168
von Wald	142	178	184
Bickman	111	127	121
Low score	90	35	80
Handicap	825	938	833

Badgers	147	152	167
Thompson	111	137	144
Mel	154	146	161
Law	185	137	145
Langenbach	124	140	123
Handicap	87	93	74
Totals	806	805	822

Moonshiners	147	134	158
Gentert	87	130	137
Yerly	87	130	137
Tisdale	133	138	133
Loeffler	126	118	135
Burchardt	146	194	126
Feak	639	745	709
Totals	639	745	709

They silver bells were the prizes in horse racing in England up to the time of Charles II who substituted a silver cup as the emblem of victory.

NUCLEUS OF THREE TO FORM GOPHER BASKETBALL TEAM

Sixty Candidates for Position on Squad Under Direction of Coach Cooke

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Basketball prospects are as bright at the University of Minnesota as were pre-season prospects for a winning football team this season, according to announcement by athletic authorities. Three of last year's first string men are out for the team—Capt. Arnold Oss, Neil Arntson and Fred Enke. All three were on the football squad. In addition to these men sixty candidates for the squad are working out regularly under the direction of Dr. L. J. Cooke, coach.

Unless players of exceptional ability are uncovered, or injuries develop, Oss and Arntson are expected to be found at forwards, with Enke playing one of the guard positions. Forberg, a new man, who, although lacking in poundage, is shooting and dribbling with the best, and McMillan, look the best of the field of second string forwards.

Kearney has had the edge for the remaining guard position, although a close fight is on between several candidates. At center, Becker and Grimes are leading the field.

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Otto Reisch of San Francisco defeated Pierre Marnome of Milwaukee, in the second block of their three-cushion billiard tournament here Tuesday night, 5-3, in 59 innings. Marnome's high run was four while Reisch hung up six.

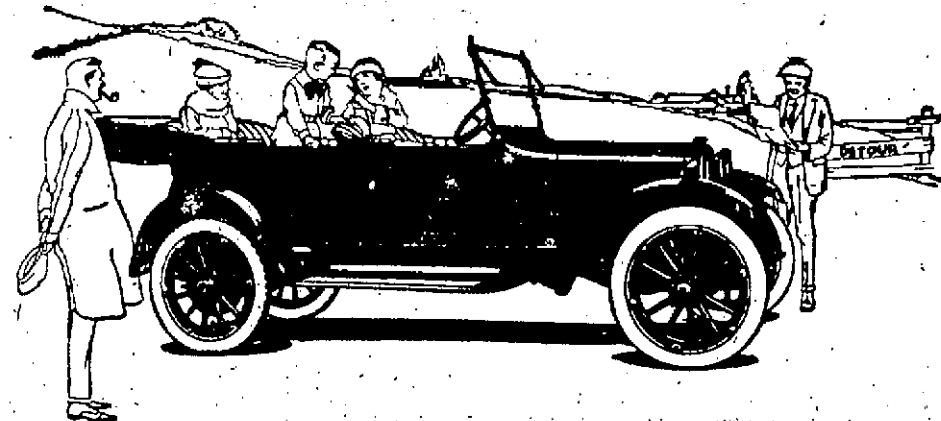
The germ theory of disease was not developed until the latter half of the 19th century.

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LEGAL NOTICES

State of Wisconsin, in Circuit Court, La Crosse County.

J. W. Downes and A. L. Downes, Plaintiffs.

Lewis Pratt and Mrs. Lewis Pratt, his wife, James I. Lyndes, Referees.

George F. Hammond and Mrs. George F. Hammond, his wife, Margaret F. Hammond, Referees.

Hammond, C. L. McKenney, Wm. M. Dunham, Joseph Kurling, B. H. Wilkins, C. H. Johannes, Edward P. Allis, C. K. McNeely, John R. Morris, Henry A. Norton and Mary R. Norton, his wife, Thomas Griffiths and Jennie Griffiths, his wife, John Erickson, and Mary Erickson, his wife, Thomas Griffiths and Margaret Griffiths, his wife, Elizabeth Jones, Daniel W. Travis, Mrs. Jessie L. Burke, John Olson (Akron), Mrs. C. Berg and Olga Berg, his wife, Albin Erickson, John C. Erickson, and Jones Department Store Company, a corporation, Rockland State Bank, La Crosse Trust Company, George Roberts, William S. Edwards, O. J. W. Rogers, Wm. H. Rogers, H. B. Rogers, Robert Ross, W. O. Jones and the unknown wife of each and all of them, heirs, executors, administrators, legatees, devisees and assigns of each and any of the above named defendants, and the unknown heirs, executors, administrators, legatees, devisees and assigns of each and any of the above named defendants who may be deceased, and the owners of all or any part of or any interest in the lands described in the footnotes of the summons in this action, and all whom it may concern, Defendants.

SUMMONS

The State of Wisconsin to the said defendants and to each of them: You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after the service of this summons upon you, and to answer the complaint in this action, and to defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid, and in case of your failure to do so, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, of which a copy is hereto attached and is herewith served upon you.

PLAINTIFFS' ATTORNEY

P. O. Address, Sparta, Monroe County, Wisconsin.

This is an action to quiet title, the original summons and complaint of which are on file in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of La Crosse County, Wisconsin, and affects the title to the following described real estate: Lots 15 and 16 of Block "K" of W. O. Jones' Addition, in La Crosse County, Wisconsin.

PLAINTIFFS' ATTORNEY

Z. S. RICE,
Plaintiffs' Attorney.

RUSSIAN CHILDREN

TO BE TEMPORARILY ADMITTED TO U. S.

WASHINGTON.—Temporary admission to the country of the seven Russian children brought back by Rear Admiral Hugh A. McCall, former American high commissioner at Sebastopol, was ordered Wednesday by the immigration bureau.

UNEMPLOYMENT DECREASING

Close to 1,500 Men to be Re-employed at Milwaukee During Week.

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—A canvas of the larger industries in and around Milwaukee shows that between 1,000 and 1,500 men will be re-employed during the week, it was reported Tuesday.

LOCAL MARKETS

Flour and Feed

Wheat Flour, per barrel, in 98-lb. sacks, \$11.55
Wheat Flour, per barrel, in 49-lb. cotton sacks, 11.30
Wheat Flour, per barrel, in 24-lb. lb. paper sacks, 11.20
Wheat Flour, per barrel, in 12-lb. lb. paper sacks, 12.00
Wheat Flour, per barrel, in 6-lb. paper sacks, 12.75
Wheat Bran, per ton, in 100-lb. sacks, 35.00
Wheat Shorts, per ton, in 100-lb. sacks, 37.00
Red Dog, per ton, in 100-lb. sacks, 47.00

CORN MARKET DEPRESSED

Commission House Selling and Lack of Support Combine to Cause Decline.

CHICAGO, Ill.—General commission house selling together with lack of support led to material declines Wednesday in the wheat market. Exports pointed to slowing down of export call, and it was contended on the floor that foreign buying of wheat in this country was about at an end. Talk was also current that milling demand had fallen off somewhat. Opening prices, which ranged from 1/2c to 2c lower with March 1 1/2 to 1 3/4, and May 1 1/2 to 1 3/4, followed by a decided further setback.

REPORT 8,881 FAILURES

Increase in Commercial Mortality Due to Economic Readjustment.

NEW YORK, N. Y., Jan. 5.—A company's record of failures for 1920, made public Tuesday, showed 8,881 commercial failures throughout the country, against 8,255 in 1919. Involvement, against 6,451 in 1919 involving liabilities of \$112,291,237.

DAILY MARKETS

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK.—Liberty bonds at noon today:

First 4 1/2% .. 93.40 Third 4 1/2% .. 90.00
Second 4 1/2% .. 85.50 Fourth 4 1/2% .. 86.40
First 4 1/2% .. 86.50 Victory 3 1/2% .. 96.50
Second 4 1/2% .. 86.50 Victory 4 1/2% .. 96.50

SHORTS ATTACK MARKET

Raid on Oil and Shipping Brings Break in to Oil Points.

NEW YORK.—Shorts were aggressive within the first hour of the market trading, directing their attacks principally against oil and shipping and miscellaneous list. Mexican Petroleum lost four points, Pan-American and Royal Dutch 2, Atlantic Gulf 3 1/2, Gulf States 1 1/2, American Sugar 1 1/2 and American Smelting 1 1/2. Endicott-Johnson, a two-point, Continental, a one-point, and Investment, a one-point, notably Reading, Great Northern, the Pacific and Chesapeake and Ohio, and the moderns, led by Baldwin and Crucible proved ineffectual, prices dropping back again before noon. Call money was in abundant supply at 7 1/2.

CASH GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Ill.—Potatoes—Inactive; receipts 17 cars, sacked, \$1.40 to \$1.50 cwt.

WHEAT.—Open High Low Close
Mar. 175 175 168 169 1/2
May 167 167 163 164
May 75 75 74 74 1/2
July 75 75 74 74 1/2
OATS—
Mar. 49 49 48 48 1/2
May 48 48 47 47 1/2
PORK—
Jan. 23 23 22 22 1/2
LARD—
Jan. 12 12 11 11 1/2
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RIBS—
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Buildings and Grounds Committee.
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NO INTERVENTION IN CUBA PLANNED ANNOUNCES U. S.

Sending of Crowder Not Preliminary to Use of Troops Says Davis

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Assurances that the United States is not contemplating military intervention in Cuba were given on Tuesday to the Cuban minister by Acting Secretary Davis. It was said by the state department. The minister, Dr. Carlos Manuel de Cespedes, was said to have entered no protest from his government against sending Maj. Gen. Crowder to Cuba to confer with President Menocal relative to the general situation there. The minister, after his call, however, expressed objection to action of the American government, declaring that neither his attitude nor that of his government as set forth in a recent statement by him had been altered. In this statement, the minister had asserted there were no grounds for the supervision of elections.

Solution Expected

Secretary Davis had previously discussed with President Wilson the Cuban situation and the mission of Gen. Crowder. The secretary told Dr. Cespedes there was little he could add to the president's statement relative to the work. Gen. Crowder is expected to accomplish in Cuba, adding that he had confidence in the ability of Cuban authorities and Gen. Crowder to work out a satisfactory solution of the present political and financial difficulties.

Minister Cespedes made it clear his main purpose in calling on Secretary Davis was to obtain more information to Cuba on a mission of the nature of Gen. Crowder's but it is understood that in his discussion of the matter with Mr. Davis he did not attempt to conceal his apprehension that the action would be construed as a step preliminary to intervention. He was assured that neither intervention nor the supervision of elections was contemplated, but it was made plain to him that the United States considered economic political and financial situations had reached the point in Cuba where the United States regarded the whole situation as one warranting the friendly offer of assistance.

Of Interest to U. S.

Congestion of freight on the docks of Havana, extension of the moratorium and the demand for money with which to finance the sugar crop have resulted, it was explained here on Tuesday in making the Cuban situation one of unusual interest for American concerns.

FOUR STILLS SEIZED BY MILWAUKEE OFFICERS

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Four stills were seized Tuesday by prohibition officials and two men with foreign names were arrested. The men had been apprehended by the police and were turned over to the federal authorities.

Eight other Milwaukeeans, all saloonkeepers, were served with indictments charging violation of the Volstead act.

Mutual Confidence Necessary

No family ever prospered that indulged in constant bickering. No nation can prosper without mutual confidence and tolerance.—Exchange.

Porcelain currency, now circulated in Germany, is not new, but was used a century ago in England and for centuries for gambling purposes in Spain.

Uncle Sam

INFORMATION EDITOR.
WASHINGTON, D. C.
"Uncle Sam, M. D.," will answer questions of general interest relating to hygiene, or disease. Address:
U. S. Public Health Service,
Washington, D. C.

Anti-Toxin Injection

Q. Will you please tell me the cause of a soreness and ache between the shoulder blades? At one time I had anti-toxin injected between the shoulder blades to prevent lockjaw. This happened about five years ago. Is anti-toxin injurious to the system, and how long does it remain in the system? Would that protect me from disease now?

You need not worry about the anti-toxin injected five years ago. As a matter of fact, such anti-toxin is rapidly excreted from the system. Usually in a few months it has all left the system. I suggest that you consult a qualified physician as to the pain in your back. Have him give you a thorough examination to see if the cause can be determined. Do not attempt to doctor yourself.

Locomotor Ataxia

Q. Do you believe that the new treatment just discovered for leprosy would be valuable in my case? I have been suffering with locomotor ataxia for several years.

I am sorry to learn that you are suffering with locomotor ataxia. This, however, is in no way related to leprosy, and there is absolutely no reason to believe that the disease would be benefited by the treatment used in leprosy. You may be interested to know that research institutions are studying locomotor ataxia; in fact, have been studying the disease for years. It is now generally accepted that the disease is practically always of syphilitic origin, and that attention must be concentrated on prevention, inasmuch as the cure of the condition, once it has developed, is apparently not possible. I suggest that you discuss the matter with your family physician, and, if necessary, have him refer you to a reputable neurologist, for oftentimes much can be done in relieving the symptoms of this serious ailment.

Caesar's conquest of Gaul and the subsequent Roman domination for 500 years resulted in France having a language with a Latin foundation.

COLDS

"Pape's Cold Compound" is
Quickest Relief Known

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of Pape's Cold Compound taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks any cold right up.

The very first dose opens clogged nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, contains no quinine—insist upon Pape's!

GOETZMANN WITNESS AT GRAIN HEARING OF U. S. SHIPPING BOARD

Declares Millions are Lost to Farmers Through Preferential Shipment

WASHINGTON—Heavy losses to American farmers would result from any increase in flour export rates, representatives of milling interests declared Tuesday at the shipping board hearing on readjustment of ocean rates on grain and grain products.

Spokesmen for the millers favored a parity on wheat and flour rates but urged there be no increase in the existing differential of five cents a hundred pounds in favor of flour.

Before the establishment of the present differential A. L. Goetzmann of Minneapolis, president of the Millers' National Federation, told the board more than \$375,000,000 was lost to American farmers through the preferential shipment of wheat. Under the old rates, he said, foreign governmental agencies controlled the American wheat export market to the detriment of the country's mills.

Mr. Goetzmann declared that through this preferential exportation the American growers' market lost many thousands of flour mills which would otherwise have been steady buyers of wheat for grinding into flour for export.

OSHKOSH HAS EPIDEMIC OF "HICCUGH GRIP"

OSHKOSH, Wis.—An epidemic of "hiccough grip" is prevailing here. One physician has had ten cases recently and one is attending six cases now. Other physicians also have patients afflicted with the same malady. Rev. G. J. Parry, pastor of the Welsh Presbyterian church, started to hiccough early last Saturday morning and efforts to stop the violent paroxysms have thus far failed.

NOW GETS 48 EGGS A DAY INSTEAD OF 3

Mr. Vincent Cured His Hens of the
Laying Habit. Easily Done

"My egg supply has increased wonderfully. Early in January, I started using Don Sung and had been getting about three eggs every other day from 70 hens. By the end of January, I was getting 30 eggs a day. In two weeks more, I was getting 48 a day."

G. W. Vincent, South, Ky. Mr. Vincent's results, in January, prove that you can get the eggs when eggs are high. It's no trouble and costs nothing to try.

Give your hens Don Sung and watch results for one month. If you don't find that it pays for itself and pays you a good profit besides, simply tell us and your money will be cheerfully refunded.

Don Sung (Chinese for egg-laying) is a scientific tonic and conditioner. It is easily given in the feed, improves the hen's health and makes her stronger and more active. It tones up the egg-laying organs, and sets the eggs, no matter how cold or wet the weather.

Don Sung can be obtained promptly from your druggist or poultry remedy dealer, or send \$1.00 (includes tax for a package) by mail prepaid. Burrol-Dugger Co., 214 Columbia Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind.

Don Sung
For Sale and recommended
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JEWISH AMERICAN DEPLORES PLAN TO BAR IMMIGRANTS

WASHINGTON—Vigorous opposition to any legislation restricting immigration will be presented Tuesday to the senate immigration committee by Louis Marshall of New York, representing the American Jewish committee. He named a number of distinguished Americans who "sprang from alien ancestry" and said "many of the boys who carried the flag through the Argonne were immigrants."

"President Wilson's mother was an immigrant," he added. "Charles Evans Hughes' father and mother were immigrants."

The committee has decided to conclude hearings next week and begin preparation of a bill for presentation to the senate.

A Portland, Ore., poultryman proclaims the Auckland Islands, covered with dense vegetation, are almost entirely uninhabited.

Y. W. C. A. FILMS SHOWN AT MAJESTIC SATURDAY MORNING

Three Reels Depicting Triangle Activities in U. S. and Japan to be Shown

Through the courtesy of the La Crosse Theaters company, purchasers of tickets for the Y. W. C. A. benefit performances at the Majestic the first three days of this week, as well as Girl Reserves of the association.

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will be given an opportunity to witness a special showing of three films showing activities of the Blue Triangle at home and abroad. The performance will be given at the Majestic Saturday morning at half-past ten o'clock, and the reels to be shown are "Blue Triangle Girls in Japan," "Scenic Japan," and "Y. W. C. A. Athletic Girls in the United States." Tonight is the last of the Y. W. C. A. benefit performances at the Majestic and friends of the association are urged to patronize the show. Tickets should be purchased at the association, as the Y. W. C. A. has no share in tickets sold at the box office. Proceeds will be devoted to World Fellowship work of the association.

Germs!

A cake of yeast consists of five egg-shaped bodies so tiny that 4,000 of them, placed end to end, would measure an inch. Some of the French railways have adopted fuel-oil for use in their locomotives, due to their lack of coal.

DOERFLINGER'S

Dr. Denton's Sleeping Garments

Most every mother is familiar with the manifold advantages of Dr. Denton's sleeping garments. The excellence of the workmanship, the superior quality of the materials used and the undisputed practicability of these garments. We feel that the children themselves were they gifted with the complete power of expression would be unanimous in their approval of the Dr. Denton Garments. We call your attention at this time to the fact that we have a complete assortment of these unexcelled children's sleepers. You will find them in sizes from 1 to 8, very moderately priced. You'll find them in the Infant Dept. **\$1.30 to \$1.86** According to size, from...



Pre-Inventory Sale of Yard Fabrics

32-inch Plaid Gingham, all snappy plaid styles, Pre-Inventory Sale Price per yard—

19c

36-in. Novelty Silk Poplins, all attractive designs and colors, Pre-Inventory Sale Price per yard—

98c

27-inch Printed Flannels, fine for children's school dresses, Pre-Inventory Sale Price per yard—

19c

39-inch Plain and Novelty Silks, broken assortments, georgettes and crepe, Pre-Inventory Sale Price per yard—

\$1.29

36-inch Printed Flannels, attractive floral designs, good grade, Pre-Inventory Sale Price per yard—

25c

32-inch Tub Shirting Silks, white grounds with colored stripes, Pre-Inventory Sale Price per yard—

\$1.69

36-inch Printed Silk and Cotton Goods, in demand for linings and kimonos, Pre-Inventory Sale Price per yard—

59c

54-inch Novelty Wool Cloaking, values from \$3.50 to \$8.50 per yard, Pre-Inventory Sale Price

1/2 Price



**You'll Find These
Shoe Prices
Unusual**

Women's Comfort Cushion Shoes, plain toe, wide last, sizes 3 to 8 EE, special

\$2.95

Women's one and two strap House Slippers, wide toe, rubber heel, per pair

\$2.69

Boys' and Girls' Button Shoes in gun metal, special for Pre-Inventory Sale, per pair only

\$1.95

Children's Shoes in patent, tan and black leathers, sizes 3 to 8, per pair only

\$1.65

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Look in our windows. They will give you a small idea of the bargains that are to be had.

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